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Girl, 15, allegedly raped at knifepoint after police claim she was lured to a...

EXCLUSIVE
Shannon Tonkin

A 15-year-old girl was allegedly stripped naked at knifepoint and

blindfolded before two teenagers raped her in the bathroom of a western Sydney hotel room. Police will allege Iraqi refugee Abthar Bassam Talib Al-Athma-

ny, 19, and a 17-year-old boy, detained the girl for several hours inside Parramatta's Meriton Suites on August 27 last year.

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Abthar Al-Athmany at his western Sydney home.
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Jarome Luai with his daughter Akira following the confirmation he will join the Wests Tigers. Picture: Richard Dobson

How Luai's little girl helped change him into a Tiger

Michael Carayannis

She's the two-year-old bundle of joy who helped Jarome Luai make the biggest decision of his life.

Luai said the chance to become one of the highest-paid players in the NRL was too good to pass up for himself and his family.

Flanked by children Izzy, 5, Akira, 2, and Halo, 1, and fiancée Bailey, Luai announced he would quit high-flying Penrith – where he made his NRL debut and won three straight premierships – to take on the challenge of turning Benji Marshall's Wests Tigers around.

The Tigers have claimed back-to-

back wooden spoons but will have to wait until 2025 for Luai to join them on a five-year contract worth about \$12 million a season.

"I want to thank my family and my friends for all their support and love and prayers throughout probably the toughest decision of my career and probably my life so far," Luai said at his own press conference yesterday.

"The obvious reason was it was a great opportunity for me to provide and create for my family. But also to create something for myself."

Asked about whether he was hurt by Penrith coach Ivan Cleary's recent comments about it being a risk to pay him \$1 million a season, Luai said: "It

did shock me a bit, but he's not lying. It is motivating. I think

anyone saying ill about me, motivates me. I've always had that edge and that chip on my shoulder. I've always been that kind of kid to prove people wrong.

"I haven't proven it on the biggest stage yet."

It has been a big off-season already for Luai. As well as uncertainty surrounding his future, he has been in the headlines when he proposed to his long-term partner on Christmas Day.

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Record number of plane refugees

2000 a month flooding in

EXCLUSIVE
Angira Bharadwaj

A record number of asylum seekers are arriving in Australia by plane with more than 2000 new arrivals every month – and the largest chunk are from conflict-free nations.

August to November last year marked four months in a row where more than 2000 asylum applications were lodged, new data revealed.

The arrivals are coming by plane on different visas and then applying for asylum once they have entered Australia.

When the Albanese Government first came in, they were facing half the number of applications per month.

In November, Vietnam was the country of origin for the largest number of asylum seekers with 444 people, followed by China (230), Vanuatu (129) and India (121) and the biggest demographic were men aged 25-44 years.

Despite Vietnam topping the list of arrivals, less than 5 per cent of applications from the nation were approved while less than 9 per cent of Indian applicants were successful in claiming asylum.

But 100 per cent of asylum seekers from civil war-torn Myanmar were accepted.

It can also be revealed that Sydney airport was the number one point of arrival for refugees in Australia since the last election, while NSW town Griffith topped the state's list of postcodes with the most asylum applicants.

The 2680 postcode, which covers Griffith and its surrounding small towns, topped the list of the most

asylum applications in NSW by postcode with 594 applications.

It was followed by a list of western and southwestern Sydney suburbs including Auburn (503), Liverpool and Casula (393), Wentworthville, Pendle Hill and Westmead (357) and Blacktown, Marayong and surrounds (347).

Former Victorian police commissioner Christine Nixon handed the Government a review of its visa system in March that found the delays in processing the applications were encouraging people to apply for dodgy asylum applications as a means of staying here.

"Visa processing and review time frames for onshore protection visa applications are particularly high. This is motivating bad actors to take advantage by lodging increasing numbers of non-genuine applications for protection," the review said.

Australian Strategic Policy Centre's Dr John Coyne said the end of Covid-19 had prompted the increase in asylum seekers.

"A certain percentage of those numbers (are people who) understand how the system works, they know how long it takes for the bureaucratic process to work before they are returned, they use that as a mechanism to continue working here."

Coalition immigration spokesman Dan Tehan accused Labor of being "asleep at the wheel".

Immigration Minister Andrew Giles lay the blame for long processing times on the former Coalition government and pointed to his \$160 million "package of reforms".

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Lightning strikes four

Four sightseers were taken to hospital after they were struck by lightning in the Blue Mountains on Wednesday.

About 3pm, ambulance crews were called to Echo Point Rd, Katoomba, near the Three Sisters Lookout, after reports a group of people had been hit by lightning. Paramedics were told four people, all aged in their 20s, had been holding onto a steel handrail as they

walked along the Three Sisters Walking Track when the lightning strike occurred.

One man and three women in their 20s were treated at the scene, including one with head injuries after she fell following the strike. The group managed to walk out of the trail before calling for help and were taken to Blue Mountains Hospital, all in a stable condition.

Legionnaires' cases in CBD over Christmas

Nathan Schmidt

Millions of people who visited Sydney's CBD over Christmas and New Years are being urged to stay alert for symptoms of legionnaires' disease after seven people were diagnosed with the debilitating lung illness.

NSW Health issued a health alert on Wednesday for anyone who has visited the city centre since Christmas Eve to monitor for symptoms includ-

ing coughing, fever, shortness of breath and headaches.

Three women and four men, aged from their 20s to 70s, were admitted to hospital with pneumonia before being identified to have been carrying the legionella bacteria, which causes legionnaires' disease.

The people are believed to have visited locations in the Sydney's CBD between Bathurst St, Sussex St, Elizabeth St and Circular Quay in the 10

days prior to their symptoms. NSW Health said symptoms of legionnaires' disease could develop up to 10 days after the time of exposure to contaminated water particles in the air and could lead to severe chest infections such as pneumonia.

The disease cannot be spread from person to person. Instead, it is usually spread by contaminated water particles emitted by a cooling system. Smokers and those with under-

lying health and lung problems are most at risk.

NSW Health said officers were working closely with the City of Sydney Council to inspect cooling towers and that a review of maintenance records could help determine further towers to be inspected.

In September, NSW Health said as many as 52 people had been exposed to a variant of the disease spread through soil and potting mix.

Aussies have right to see Iraq war papers: PM



Prime Minister Anthony Albanese addresses the media in a press conference in Sydney yesterday. Picture: NCA Newswire/Gaye Gerard

Ellen Ransley, Jack Quail and Madeleine Achenza

Prime Minister Albanese has refused to say whether he believes the Morrison government tried to "cover up" secret Howard-era documents about Australia's involvement in the Iraq war.

It comes after the shocking revelation on New Year's Day that 78 documents were missing from a now declassified file created in 2003 that reveal then prime minister John Howard's decision-making process before Australia entered the Iraq war.

The documents suggest Mr Howard had already decided to join the United States-led invasion before ever taking the matter to cabinet.

At a press conference yesterday, Mr Albanese was asked if he was concerned



An ADF soldier patrols in the southern region of Iraq in 2005. Picture: Gary Ramage

about a "cover up" in regards to the missing documents.

"Well, that's why we have asked Dennis Richardson to do the review," he responded.

"I'm not aware of the circumstances. Obviously, I wasn't a member of the cabinet in 2003."

He went on to add there was "no public servant in Australia who is more respected" than Mr Richardson, the former head of senior personnel de-

fence and foreign affairs in national security agencies.

Mr Richardson is due to report the results of his review in the next two weeks.

The records show Mr Howard relied on the dozens of discussions he had with the powerful national security committee, a powerful cabinet subcommittee, when making his decision about Australia's involvement in Iraq.

But, in a strange turn of

events, the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet revealed just hours before the papers were made public that the missing documents were not lost – they had not been handed over by the Morrison government to the archives.

"The 2020 transfer of a small number of additional 2003 Cabinet records did not take place as it should have, due to apparent administrative oversights by the Department, the Archives and security agencies," a department statement released on Monday read.

"These oversights were likely as a result of Covid-19 disruptions at the time."

The department said that the missing documents had been located on December 19 and had been since transferred to the archives.

They will be reviewed, in conjunction with security

agencies, before their release.

Mr Albanese said yesterday he expected all the missing documents to be released by the National Archives, save for anything that could compromise national security.

"Australians do have a right to know what the decision-making process was and my Government believes that this mistake must be corrected," he said.

"We need transparency and there is a need for the release of these documents."

"The current head of PM&C was only notified of the failure to forward the 78 documents just before Christmas."

Within the dossier released on Monday, there is just one cabinet minute pertaining to the looming Iraq conflict from March 18, 2003 – the day before the invasion began – in which cabinet noted two oral submissions from Mr Howard.

I'll give you kind words, not cash

Jessica Wang

While cost-of-living support remains the federal Government's top priority, Anthony Albanese said Australians should not expect cash hand-outs and sweeteners to relieve the pressure.

The Prime Minister said he had asked the Treasury and Department of Finance to devise ideas that could be announced in the May federal budget but spending must be curtailed to avoid inflation.

"We asked them to give consideration to what are the measures that can take pressure off families on cost of living without putting pressure on inflation. That's the key issue," he said.

"If you were just to distribute additional cash to people, you potentially make inflation worse and therefore don't help to solve the problem."

As an example, he used the Government's "energy price relief plan", which was developed with state and territory governments to introduce price limits on gas and coal.

The NSW and Queensland governments have set a \$125-a-tonne price threshold on coal used for electricity generation. A 12-month emergency cap on gas prices has also been set at \$12 per gigajoule for east coast producers.

"Instead of giving cheques to people, it reduces their bills substantially and we worked that through with Treasury and finance and it made a substantial difference in a reduction in wholesale prices," Mr Albanese said.

In an effort to soften inflation to a target range between 2 to 3 per cent, the Reserve Bank of Australia (RBA) has implemented 13 rate rises since May 2022, with the 4.35 per cent cash rate denting household budgets.

The latest consumer price index figures from September revealed year-on-year household inflation had reduced to 5.4 per cent after reaching a high of 7.8 per cent in December 2022.

Mr Albanese conceded Australians were still under the pressure caused by international events such as pandemic-related supply chain issues and the "illegal Russian invasion of Ukraine".

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Taxi 'rort' fleeces tourists

Claims drivers and hotel staff are secretly working together to score extra cash

EXCLUSIVE
Aymon Bertah

A "group of rogue taxi drivers" is allegedly teaming up with reception staff from some of Sydney's most luxurious hotels to fleece unsuspecting tourists as much as an extra \$30 per ride.

A Sydney taxi driver, who wished to be identified only as "James" has submitted a complaint to the NSW Point to Point Transport Commissioner claiming several "corrupt taxi drivers" are allegedly inflating fares and striking deals with hotel staff.

The cabbie said the tactics not only "jeopardises" the livelihoods of "honest, law-abiding taxi drivers" but also the reputation of our biggest hotels.

"A group of rogue taxi drivers have (allegedly) established an illicit network that involves bribing hotel reception staff to steer unsuspecting tourists and customers toward their services," James said.

In exchange for these referrals, he told the commissioner the

rogue cabbies allegedly provide "kickbacks" to hotel staff, often in the range of "\$10 to \$30 per ride" – which depends on whether it's a standard or maxi taxi. Point to Point Transport Commissioner, Anthony Wing said he takes "all complaints about possible breaches to the point to point transport law seriously".

"My Compliance team is investigating the issues raised and talking to drivers and those concerned to obtain further information and evidence to support their investigation," he said.

James said the scheme starts when reception staff allegedly call the drivers to alert them of a job and, if one of the cabbies is unavailable, they post the job in a Telegram Messenger group and reference the "reception fee" by writing "RF" at the bottom of the message.

It will include the price of the fare and the reception fee such as "\$90/10". Staff at several of Sydney's five-star hotels were included in the complaint to the commissioner. Despite the government increasing fines to \$1000 for cabbies who set fixed fees and don't turn their meters on, James told the commission these rogue drivers are setting fixed prices before customers even step foot in the taxi.

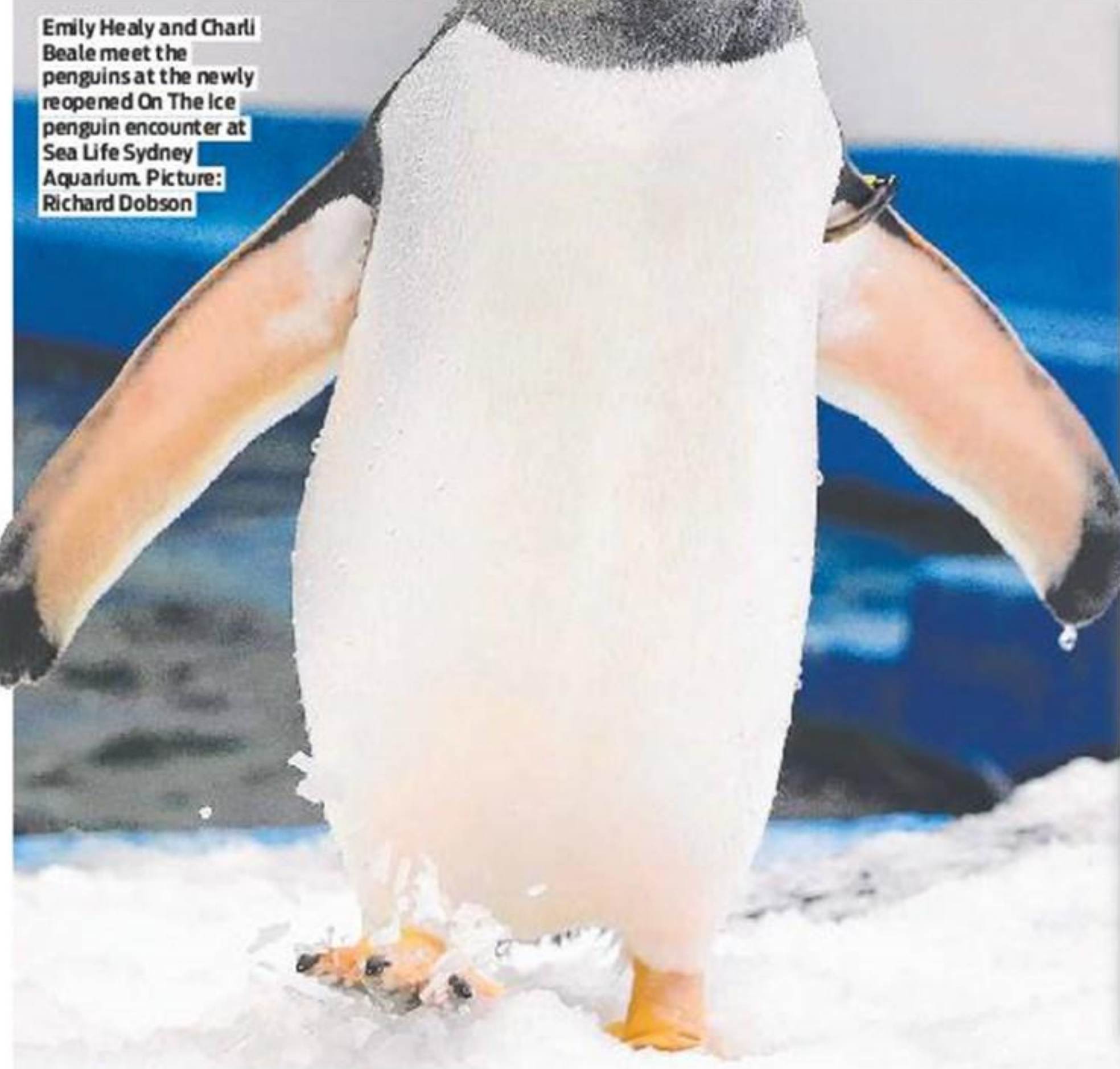
A message from one of the alleged rogue taxi drivers to the group read: "If you Can't Pay Reception Fee please don't bid".

A Point to Point spokeswoman said drivers "must use the meter". She said concerned customers "should raise this directly with the taxi company".



The alleged messages.

Emily Healy and Charl Beale meet the penguins at the newly reopened On The Ice penguin encounter at Sea Life Sydney Aquarium. Picture: Richard Dobson



Penguins are back in action with cool show

James Dowling

They were put on ice for almost four years but Sydney's gentoo penguins are ready to greet flocks of visitors once more.

Sea Life Sydney has reopened its Penguins Encounters exhibit after it was forced to shut down the

encounter over Covid. It kept the activity closed a little longer to give the penguins time to get used to visitors again.

The 45-minute long experience includes 15 minutes on the ice with the flightless birds, followed by a look behind the scenes.

Among the first people to meet the

penguins again at SeaLife was Olympic diver Sam Fricker.

"It's very entertaining watching the king penguins belly-flop to enter the pool," said Fricker.

"I hope I'd be more of a gentoo penguin, as they are a bit more graceful, diving in headfirst with minimal splash."



Prince Harry and wife Meghan are eyeing a fresh start in 2024.

Hopes dim for a Sussexes re-set in 2024

Tiffany Bakker

Meghan Markle and Prince Harry won't get the "year of redemption" they are hoping for in 2024, according to a royal author.

The Duke and Duchess of Sussex are said to be planning to have a fresh start, after backlash last year for their Netflix documentary and Prince Harry's bombshell biography Spare.

"Harry and Meghan have let it be known that they see 2024 as their year of redemption, to which my reaction is good luck with that," royal expert and author Phil Dampier told The Sun. "It's a trite phrase dreamt up by their Hollywood PR people and in reality means very little. Actions speak louder than words and the Sussexes need to do things which will convince the public (in Britain and the US) that they want to

redeem themselves, not just talk about it."

On Christmas Day, the Sussexes' absence was again strikingly apparent when the rest of the Royal Family – including King Charles, Prince William and Kate Middleton – attended church at Sandringham.

The Sussexes have not spent Christmas with the Royal Family since 2018.

But, while they were again absent, for the first time in

years, Sarah Ferguson was among the guest list, which Mr Dampier claims sent a strong message.

"The royals put on a show of unity at Christmas, with even Prince Andrew's ex-wife Fergie being allowed to walk to church and join them for lunch," he said.

"The message was clear – everyone was welcome except Harry and Meghan."

MARY'S TITLE P11



Breast cancer patient Jen Byles with her nurse Sam Moules.

I would be lost without my nurse

Madeline Bower

Jen Byles was only in her 30s when she was told she had stage four metastatic breast cancer that could not be cured.

With the McGrath Foundation Pink Test continuing at the Sydney Cricket Ground for its second day to raise money for more breast care nurses, Ms Byles said that without her breast care nurse Sam Moules she would have felt lost. Ms Moules will likely be her nurse for the rest of her life.

The 38-year-old was given "a hopeful" 10 years to live and was forced to decide what she wanted to do with the time she had left. Before her diagnosis she had started IVF but had to stop after she was told injecting herself with oestrogen would feed the cancer, meaning she could never have children.

"It came with a lot of grief, a lot of guilt," she said.

"Being a young woman, you're in that peak of your life where you should be doing career, relationships, families and all that had to get put on hold indefinitely."

As a manager of a Manly gym, Ms Byles was in the peak of health before her diagnosis. She said when symptoms started showing in late 2021 she mistook the signs, only getting checked much later.

Ms Byles said it had changed her outlook on life.

"I realised I needed to do all the things I've always wanted to do, because a diagnosis like this makes you appreciate life a lot more," she said. "I'm going on holidays, spending more time with friends and this year I'm planning to see Italy for the first time."

Virtual Pink Seats, supporting the McGrath Foundation are available now for \$20 from pinktest.com.au.

WARNER FANS

SYDNEY HERO IN A FINAL OVER SALUTE

Matthew Benns and Tyson Jackson

They waited all day — some from 7.30am — but Sydney's cricket fans were finally rewarded with a late appearance at the crease by the man they had all come to see.

David Warner's hometown farewell is now well and truly underway after he walked out to bat after a gutsy Pakistan innings — smashing the first ball he faced for four.

Warner will continue his innings this morning after the New Year Test got underway yesterday amid a throng of Steve Irwin costumes and bouncing beach balls.

The traditional Sydney event's wet weather curse is expected to hit today, however. But when it started yesterday, it was Pakistan who provided a couple of ducks for more than 30,000 fans including former Prime Minister John Howard and opposition leader Peter Dutton.

Pakistan captain Shan Masood won the toss and elected to bat first — a decision that then looked highly dubious as both the openers fell for ducks in the first two overs. The joy for the crowd continued as the Aussie bowling attack tore through the batting line up before Mohammad



A young fan shows his support for David Warner.

Rizwan restored some semblance of order in the Pakistan ranks ahead of a determined last wicket stand to stall Warner's SCG swansong until very late in the day, when he walked out to face just one dramatic, nail biting over, heading back to the sheds on 6 not out. For the fans in the stands, the talk was all about Warner's missing baggy green caps. The retiring batsman took to Instagram to appeal for the caps to be returned after they went missing from his bag on a Qantas flight from Melbourne to Sydney.

Cricket fan William Johnson, 22, flew in from New Zealand and headed straight to the SCG for the opening day's play.

"It's really gutting about his baggy green so I really hope someone hands it back," he said. "He does not need that for his final Test match, it's very slack to take anything that's not yours."

Nikhil Ullal, 34, from Bondi said the Sydney Test was part of Australian life combining "30C heat, mates and beers" and would only be improved if Warner got his caps back.

"Although I think Warner is a polarising figure I still think



Dr Prabodh Malhotra, Tracy Bevan and Glenn McGrath during yesterday's Pink Parade.



Katie, Mark, Abbey and Jackie Forbes and Mitchell Turner enjoy the action on day one.



Seasame St characters formed part of the big 30,000-plus SCG crowd. Pics: Monique Harmer/Tom Parrish

Losses come to a head for craft brewery

Rahul Bhattarai

A popular inner-city brewery has been forced into voluntary administration with its owner blaming declining interest in the "craft beer" market for owing creditors \$2 million.

Wayward Brewing Co and the Local Drinks Collective at Camperdown has been placed into voluntary administration as part of a "financial restructuring of the business".

Founder of Wayward Brewing Co and former chair of the Independent Brewers Association Peter Philip said its craft brewery and tap room will be "business as usual" during the financial restructure by DBA Advisory director Richard Abraham.

Mr Philip blamed significant increases in production costs, interest rate rises and major conglomerates choking out smaller craft breweries.

"The independent craft beer industries have been under pressure over the last few years, but we were expecting a really nice bump while coming out of Covid," Mr Philip said.

"Smaller craft beer breweries are facing unfair competition with multinational conglomerates. About 85 per cent of the beer sold in Australia is owned by two large multinationals, who have unlimited access to capital and they can reduce

their prices — smaller brewers do not have that capability."

The brewery boss said the newly appointed administrator was "confident the financial restructuring will result in a stronger and more resilient business emerging from administration".

"The last few years have been an extremely challenging time," Mr Philip said. "A third of the cost of a can of beer is going into paying taxes."



Founder of Wayward Brewing Co Peter Philip.

ARE TICKLED PINK



David Warner makes his way onto the pitch with daughters Isla, Indi and Ivy yesterday. Picture: Getty

Daddy, you are our hero

Ben Home

David Warner grew up in the housing commission flats of Matraville and never lost the connection with his roots after going on to become a multi-millionaire cricket superstar.

Warner has always been regarded as a working class hero and yesterday, those people he grew up with packed into the SCG to watch his farewell, as an all-time great of Test cricket.

Father Howard and mother Lorraine, brother Steve and dozens of family and friends to watch 'The Bull' one last time amongst 33,905 Sydneysiders.

It was a family affair as Warner led his three daughters Ivy, Indi and Isla out to the middle with him to sing the national anthems before play — the girls' with 'Warner 31' emblazoned on the back of their matching whites.

And in the stands, was wife Candice, the rock of Warner's life who inspired his extraordinary comeback from his lowest moment — Sandpapergate.

"I can't praise Candice more highly," Warner's manager James Erskine said. "I don't think David would have got through it all ... if Candice hadn't been his missus."

it's great to see everyone getting around him," he said.

The day began with a pink parade with cricket legend Glen McGrath leading hundreds on a walk through the SCG precinct in support of those with breast cancer.

"We are thrilled to kick off the Pink Test with such a vibrant celebration. The Pink Parade captures what it means to unite in pink," said McGrath, Co-Founder and President of the McGrath Foundation named in honour of his wife Jane who died from the disease.

Day three of the Test is Jane McGrath day but fans were al-

ready dressed in pink and supporting the fundraising campaign which aims to sell 322,000 virtual pink seats to fund 250 McGrath Breast Care nurses.

SCG chief executive Kerrie Mather said it had been a fantastic start to "the biggest and best week" on the NSW sporting calendar.

"There is no better sight than seeing the grandstands full of pink in support of such a great cause for the McGrath Foundation," Ms Mather said.

"We are so looking forward to the next few days and hopefully a fitting send off for Dave Warner in his final Test."

Thursday is known as the "Richie Day" with fans of legendary commentator Richie Benaud expected to turn up in their safari suits and grey wigs for a truly "marvellous" day. But yesterday it was Steve Irwin crocodile hunter costumes and Sesame St characters who filled the stands, along with a group of nuns.

Kiran Fitzsimonds, 30, from the Hills district said he and his friends had been attending the Test for 13 years and it had become a great tradition.

"We come here and dress up as Steve Irwin every year and it's a good opportunity to see people you don't get to see all

the time," he said. "It's a social event where people we don't know turn up but you automatically become friends with them."

But the antics of some Steve Irwins proved too much for security guards with more than 20 of them ejected after they formed a giant beer snake from empty plastic cups.

In total, day one fans consumed 65,000 schooners of beer, 12,500 buckets of hot chips and 5000 burgers, served by 2000 tireless staff.

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Mighty big seal with a not-so-varied diet

As one of the top predators roaming Antarctica, the sizeable southern elephant seal has its fair selection of the menu.

But it turns out they don't just want to eat anything and everything.

According to new research led by the University of NSW, male southern elephant seals have their own favourite foods, and they like to stick with them.

In other words, they're very fussy eaters.

"They could have the pick of the buffet and yet each male southern elephant seal eats a lot of the same food, which is just a fraction of what's on offer," lead author Andrea Cormack said. "So, they are extremely picky eaters, each with their own unique favourite foods they go after, whether it be fish, squid species, crustaceans or octopus."



A southern elephant enjoys a nap after a snack.

Woman dies, kids saved

A woman died and two children were rescued after they were sucked out to sea in a rip at a NSW beach.

About 5.20pm on Tuesday, emergency services were called to Park Beach in Coffs Harbour and were told a 50-year-old woman had been swimming with young family members when they were swept out to sea.

A young boy and girl were rescued and brought safely to

shore, but the woman was found unresponsive in the water a short time later.

She was brought to the beach and attempts were made to resuscitate her, however, she was unable to be revived.

NSW Ambulance said the two children suffered minor injuries after swallowing water and were taken to Coffs Harbour Base Hospital for observation.

No more clicks for delivery

Jared Lynch

E-commerce companies are set to phase out text messages alerting people of when their parcels are likely to be delivered this year in an attempt to close a common entry point for cyber criminals.

That's the top prediction from Richard Thame, chief executive of Singapore Post-owned Couriers Please, who said more companies are set to switch to Amazon-style app notifications.

"It's very rare for consumers in advanced overseas economies to get a tracking link via SMS," Mr Thame said.

"Clickable links on mobile devices will die off over the next year. Its life has probably been prolonged here in Australia. And I think there's a whole new generation of consumers who are using social platforms, so I think the next stage is that more seamless integration with the various other social platforms as well."

SMishing, a variant of phishing, is a common tactic cyber criminals use, involving sending simple text messages with an urgent "call to action" such as asking someone where they would like their parcel delivered or to unlock and verify an account.

Once a fraudulent link is clicked, hackers can gain access to personal information, and even access to mobile phones, banking apps and email inboxes, potentially fleecing people of their life savings.

CBA warned that once a person clicks on a link, they are often asked to enter personal information, including card numbers and banking passwords. "Malware could also be installed on your device or you might receive a call where scammers attempt to convince you to share personal or banking details with them," CBA said.

In the first 10 months of last year, Australians reported more than 11,000 parcel delivery scams to Scamwatch, with more than \$720,000 lost. It is understood many more scams are left unreported out of embarrassment.

People are at greatest risk of falling victim to the scams during the peak delivery Christmas period, when people are in a rush and might not scrutinise SMS alerts as closely as they normally would.



TEEN'S UNIT ATTACK HELL

Iraqi refugee accused of 'degrading' rape of

EXCLUSIVE
Shannon Tonkin and
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A 15-year-old girl was stripped naked at knifepoint and blindfolded before an Iraqi refugee and a 17-year-old accomplice repeatedly raped her in the bathroom of a Western Sydney Meriton hotel suite, with the horrific attack lasting several hours, it is alleged.

Police will allege Abthar Bassam Talib Al-Athmany, 19, and the unnamed 17-year-old detained the girl for several hours inside Parramatta's Meriton Suites on August 27 last year after a male associate lured her to the room under

the guise of picking up a friend's mobile phone. It is alleged the two attackers subjected the girl to "degrading and humiliating" treatment during the ordeal, including trying to pimp her out for sex by creating two posts on her Instagram page advertising drugs and prostitution.

Details of the incident can be revealed for the first time after The Daily Telegraph was granted exclusive access to prosecution documents following Al-Athmany's successful bid for bail in the NSW Supreme Court.

While some of the paperwork has been redacted due to the explicit and graphic nature

of the allegations, a police facts sheet reveals Al-Athmany and the 17-year-old allegedly threatened the girl with a kitchen knife, stripped her naked and ordered her to perform sexual acts on film.

Police will allege she was then blindfolded using her own T-shirt and forced into the shower recess where she was repeatedly raped by the two teens under cold running water. A second female is alleged to have arrived later in the night to check on the girl's welfare.

She was also allegedly prevented from leaving the room and ordered to take her clothes off, according to the

court documents.

The court heard the two girls eventually escaped the room just after 3.30am and fled to a relative's home, who reported the matter to police.

Al-Athmany was arrested later that day and charged with aggravated sexual assault in company relating to the first female. No charges have been laid in relation to his alleged conduct towards the second female.

Al-Athmany spent more than three months behind bars on remand before being granted strict conditional bail to live with his parents and brother in the family's Western Sydney home. When the Telegraph

visited the house yesterday, a shirtless Al-Athmany was seen standing on the front lawn of the property and speaking briefly on the phone, before ending the call and darting behind a dark fly-screen door concealing the front entrance.

When approached by the Telegraph and asked at the blacked-out door if he wished to comment on the sexual assault allegation, Al-Athmany said he had been "falsely accused" and did not have anything further to add.

"There's not much to say," he said.

Meanwhile, Al-Athmany's father, Bassam Alathmani,

Storm claims hit 19,000

Thousands of policyholders impacted by devastating storms have lodged millions of dollars worth of claims with insurance giant Suncorp since the end of November last year.

Suncorp said as of Tuesday night there have been 19,000 claims from NSW, Queensland, Victoria and the ACT from policyholders over damage caused by storms.

Queensland - which was

hit by the ex-Tropical Cyclone Jasper in the state's north and floods in the south east - has been hardest hit with a total of 12,500 claims of which 9500 home claims.

Suncorp said it expected more claims as the full impact of the current flooding in South East becomes known.

The company said it is too early to provide a total forecast cost of these events given their ongoing nature.



Bianca Censori.

It's Bianca uncensored: Kanye

Controversial rapper Kanye West says his Australian wife Bianca Censori will be wearing even less clothes in 2024, after sharing a series of racy images of the architectural designer to his Instagram account.

In one image, Censori, 28, struck a pose while pairing a micro top with a leather corset bottom and calf-high heeled boots. In another, she modelled a black bikini so tiny that it barely covered her nipples.

The second image was a solo shot of the Australian architect in a marble bathroom looking down at the floor.

"Dropped sumn?" her husband, 46, wrote alongside the shot.

A third snap was uploaded by West (pictured left) showing Censori sporting a black micro thong and a teeny and a fuzzy pink bandeau which he captioned: "No pants this year."

Social media users were mostly critical of the posts, labelling them "gross" and a "mess".

Others argued that West was trying too hard to mould Censori into his ex-wife, Kim Kardashian, saying "He's creating the new @kimkardashian," "Kim from Wish" and "Rebound Kim."

Another added: "Wait, didn't Kanye call Kim out for dressing too provocatively?"



“If he breaches his bail by a millimetre my intention is he goes back to jail and stays there

Justice Richard Button

Abthar Bassam Talib Al-Athmany outside his home in Western Sydney and (below) leaving court after winning bail. Picture: Monique Harmer

15-year-old girl at Meriton walks free on bail

provided a letter to the court in support of his son's application for bail, saying the family had settled in Australia in 2011 after surviving war in Iraq and Syria, which had killed many of his relatives.

He said his son had been the victim of bullying at multiple schools in Sydney and suffered from depression and anxiety.

He went on to label his son a "kind-hearted, family-oriented man".

Prosecutors opposed Al-Athmany's release from custody, saying the case against him was a strong one and his release from custody would put the community at risk.

However, Justice Richard

Button agreed to release Al-Athmany on a \$30,000 surety but not without reservations.

"My mind has wavered very much as to whether or not in light of the gravity of what's alleged he should spend many, many months in custody bail refused until all of this is resolved," Justice Button said.

"I've reached the point where on balance I've shied away from that."

"But I don't doubt that he and his whole family understand ... that if he breaches his bail by a millimetre my intention is he goes back to jail and stays there."

"I've come to the view that although there are unques-

tionably risks here, they are just barely mitigated by the rigour of what's been proposed by his barrister to the point of being rendered acceptable."

As part of his bail conditions, Al-Athmany is required to live at the family home around the clock and can only leave in the company of his father or brother — and only for medical emergencies, legal appointments or to report to police once a day.

He is also banned from accessing the internet and must continue receiving treatment for his mental health. The matter will return to court in February.



Bluey in "Cricket". Pic: ABC

Bluey promotes 'genocide': Muslim poet

An award-winning Muslim poet has accused Australia's iconic children's TV program *Bluey* of promoting "genocide" against Arabic people.

In a new poem shared to Instagram, titled *Bluey in the genocide*, Muslim novelist Omar Sakr referred to "Cricket", an episode in the show's third season that centres around the Queensland family of cartoon dogs playing the backyard sport.

The episode — praised for its message of good sportsmanship and family values — happens to be the series' most popular of all-time, according to an ABC poll of 50,000 fans.

"Cricket" centres on titular character Bluey's red kelpie friend Rusty, whose father is away serving in the Australian Army. At one point, the episode shows Rusty's dad writing a letter to his family from the war zone.

But, according to Mr Sakr, "sportsmanship" wasn't the only takeaway for some viewers.

"We watch the cricket episode, All laconic drawls and summer Games, a dedicated pup learning To play while his father is away," his poem reads.

"His name is Rusty, he's a star At bat. My son laps it up, as do I Until the end."

"The scene shifts And there is the distant dad In combat fa-

tigues, and I learn Even in this cartoon world There is a desert full of dogs Soldiers and guns, and somewhere Out of frame, Arabs being put down."

In the comments section of the poem, others agreed, with one saying: "Even these little moments that our kids absorb can influence what they see as 'okay' or 'normal'."

The ABC declined to comment on the accusations levelled at *Bluey* by Mr Sakr.

IB exam passes the test

Madeleine Bower

A record number of NSW private school students sat the International Baccalaureate this year instead of the HSC, with 739 receiving their results on Wednesday.

The number of students choosing to sit the IB in coming years is expected to continue to increase with the state government working towards scrapping the ban on public schools teaching the program.

IB authorities said the number of students choosing to do the exams had been gradually increasing over the past decade.

IB Schools Australasia secretary Antony Mayrhofer said the uptake in NSW increased 13 per cent from 2022, which was up 12 per cent from the year prior.

He said when the prohibition on public schools was removed, he expected the numbers to increase again.

"The IB diploma is specifically designed to prepare students for university," Mr Mayrhofer said.

"It's very attractive because it develops the skills that students need to be successful in a university environment."

Allowing public schools to teach IB courses was an election promise made by the Minns government in February 2022.

"Work will begin this year to look at how we can help those schools that would like to offer the International Baccalaureate," a spokesman for Education Minister Prue Car said. "We know the teacher shortage in NSW needs to be addressed prior to implementing new educational options."

Ravenswood School for Girls student Vicky Chen said she was not surprised the IB was becoming more popular as she felt it encouraged students to be well-rounded and was less competitive than the HSC as there is no ranking system.

Ms Chen, 18, received a perfect score of 45 out of 45 and plans to study a Bachelor of Commerce at UNSW.

"I think the curriculum encourages more international mindedness and I feel the method of teaching requires you to do more independent learning," she said. "Instead of being in competition (with) other students because of your ranking you're more in competition with yourself."



Omar Sakr. Picture: Instagram



Large crowds converge on Lakemba for the Ramadan Nights Festival, which will be scaled back due to complaints from residents about noise and anti-social behaviour.

Big stink over Ramadan

Street festival scaled back after 'smelly food' complaints

David Barwell

Australia's largest Ramadan street festival at Lakemba will be scaled back in response to resident complaints about anti-social behaviour, noisy crowds and the scent of "smelly foods" wafting from street stalls throughout the neighbourhood.

Canterbury-Bankstown Council will trial new crowd control measures for this year's Ramadan Nights Festival, including moving sections of the event away from homes, reducing the number of road closures and scaling back the promotion of the event.

The council is also considering permanently relocating the festival in response to resi-

dent gripes about large crowds that flock to Lakemba's town centre during the annual event. In the past four years, crowd numbers have grown six-fold and last year topped 1.2 million people – making it even more popular than the Royal Easter Show.

More than 300 residents living around the precinct have put their name to a petition calling for the event to be scaled back due to noise, anti-social behaviour, the number of road closures, accumulation of rubbish and even the "smells of food".

But many restaurant owners who take part in the street festival are rallying against the council measures with fears they could impact trade.

Salim Shaikh, owner of Hal-don St chicken shop Extra Crispy, believes the council has caved to "NIMBY" voices of some local residents.

"The festival has been running for 15 years and people come from all over Australia to see it," he said.

"The people complaining are the ones that bought into the area knowing the event is on each year. If you don't like noise and you don't like markets, why would you move into a town centre next to a street festival?"

Restaurant owner Salim Deeni has called on council to reconsider the crowd control measures, warning a reduction in road closures could present a public safety hazard.

"(The council) had to put in the road closures because it was becoming dangerous with pedestrians walking on the roads between all the food stalls," he said.

"Road closures or not, people will still come to the festival."

A council report noted that while the event "is a phenomenal success" it also "brings challenges" for the local community.

Other complaints from residents have included reports of homeowners being "unable to sleep" during festival hours which run daily during Ramadan from dusk to 3am.

The event has also faced criticism from Muslim community leaders who say the

festival is at odds with the core Ramadan values of spirituality, moderation and reflection.

Some local businesses have supported the council's crowd control measures including Rasha Almaanawe, owner of King of Sweets.

"The road closures aren't good for us because people aren't going to leave their car blocks away and walk to our restaurant when they can eat at food stalls instead," she said.

"I lose half my trade in what should be our busiest time of the year."

Council figures show the festival has also become a "significant budget" challenge for the council with the cost of staging last year's event topping \$2 million.



A truck sign slamming the deal.

Council deal's Eel feeling

Joanne Vella

Parramatta Council and NRL heavyweights the Eels have hit back at criticism over their partnership deal worth up to \$2.4m, amid outrage over the use of ratepayers' cash for the sponsorship.

The council voted in support of the partnership during a confidential meeting on December 11, with those in favour saying it would offer "exceptional benefits" to the community.

But the United Services Union objected to the council spending millions on the partnership, and adorned numerous trucks with prominent messages slamming the deal.

The messages on the trucks, driving around the area's CBD, ask: "Why are these councillors paying \$2.4m to the Eels?" and "\$2.4m to sponsor a footy team!!!"

However, the council and club maintain the deal is nowhere near the reported \$2.4m and the actual sum is money well spent. A total of \$383,500 — committed for the first year of the partnership — going towards scholarships for western Sydney women, 18 clinics and school holiday camps for children, including specific programs for young people from culturally diverse backgrounds.

Player appearances were also sought for events, while the council logo will appear on the NRLW team's jersey.

The union claims the money paid for the deal would be better spent on repairing footpaths and the more than 100 storm pits that need repair.

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Job hike to keep Mary in family

Adrienne Tam

Australian-born Princess Mary's ascent to the Danish throne was fast-tracked to shift focus from allegations of her husband's infidelity, it has been claimed.

A prominent royal expert has suggested the surprise abdication of Denmark's Queen Margrethe II is due to unsubstantiated rumours of an affair between her son Crown Prince Frederik, and Mexican actor and socialite Genoveva Casanova.

"It's possible that the Queen took this action because she would have been terrified of the marriage breaking up and the royal family losing Mary," author and commentator Phil Dampier, who has reported on the royal family for the past 20 years, told UK's The Telegraph.

"The Queen has always seen Mary as a tremendous asset.

"It just seems an extraordinary coincidence that she should make this unexpected announcement just a couple of months after stories emerged of the Crown Prince supposedly having an affair.

"In two weeks' time, the Prince and Princess will be pitched together as King and Queen... The Queen may be thinking that they will patch up their differences and it will save their marriage."

Mr Dampier said most Danish people were shocked by the abdication because the Queen had previously said the role was her job for life.

"It seems strange that it happened so soon after the rumours of an affair," he said.

The Palace has not commented on the rumours. Ms Casanova has vehemently denied any romantic relationship with the heir to the Danish throne.

It comes as Princess Mary's new official title has been confirmed ahead of the January 14 ceremony, with the royal couple to officially be known as His and Her Majesty King Frederik and Queen Mary, the Danish Royal House confirmed on Tuesday.



Some royal experts believe Prince Frederik and Princess Mary's elevation to the throne is because the Danish royal family is afraid of losing Mary. Picture: Getty

Never gonna be plane sailing

PM's aerotropolis excuse

Lachlan Leeming

Prime Minister Anthony Albanese said the bureaucratic slowdown on Western Sydney's aerotropolis was inevitable in the early stages of the project.

Mr Albanese stopped short of saying he would increase his own involvement to accelerate work on the barren land surrounding the new airport before it opened in 2026, saying he expected things would naturally ramp up.

Work has only started on a visitor centre, and at least 40 businesses are understood to be frustrated over a lack of clarity on when they can commence their own construction work at the aerotropolis.

"We'll work through those issues but inevitably, when you have planning, it goes slower at the first stages to put it in place and once those planning measures and approvals are in place, you will see very positive developments," he said.

"We're a partner in the project. The NSW government ... has planning responsibility, and we'll continue to work co-operatively with them."

Mr Albanese, who in 2022 said the airport had "been overwhelmingly a federal investment, be it in roads, in rail and in the airport infrastructure", backed progress to be made ahead of the airport opening in 2026 despite criti-



How we broke the story.

cism of the Western Parkland City Authority which had been tasked with delivering the precinct.

"I will work with the state government and work with the private sector to make sure that all of the prospective activity is up and running as soon as possible," he said.

The Daily Telegraph revealed on Wednesday that staff numbers had nearly doubled at the authority over two years, before it was swallowed into the NSW Planning Department.

Figures contained in the authority's most recent annual report also showed that the number of fat cat executives earning more than \$200,000 jumped by 15 per cent in just a year.

The authority, which was tasked with delivering the precinct surrounding the new airport, received \$518m in funding over two years - with little to show for it aside from construction on the visitor centre starting.

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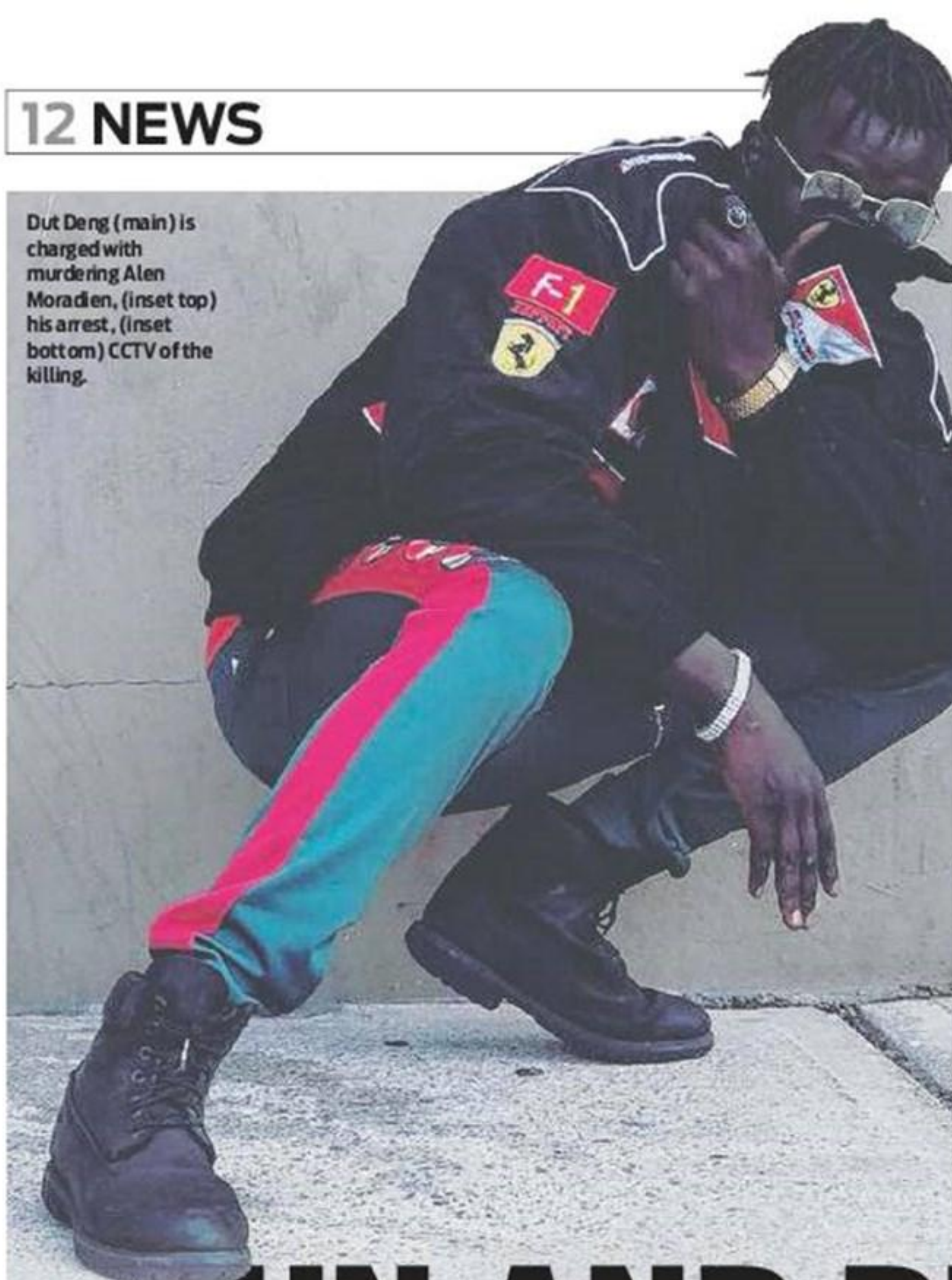


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Dut Deng (main) is charged with murdering Alen Moradian, (inset top) his arrest, (inset bottom) CCTV of the killing.



GUN AND DUSTED

Taskforce catches alleged triggerman in bkie killing

Mark Morri
Josh Hanrahan

NSW Police have arrested the alleged triggerman in one of the biggest underworld hits in Sydney's gangland war and claim there are more arrests to follow.

Heavily armed police from the Tactical Operations Unit and detectives from Taskforce Magnus stormed the home of Dut Deng, 24, at 4am on Wednesday and charged him with murdering former Comanchero bkie boss Alen Moradian.

The well-known Sydney gangster was gunned down while he was sitting in his luxury car in the carpark

basement at Bondi Junction last June.

At the time, Moradian was one of the most senior members of Sydney's underworld and considered untouchable by key figures.

Moradian's murder has caused major tensions between the Comanchero and another well-known crime family who they believe are behind the alleged hit.

CCTV captured on June 27 last year and released by police shows a masked man stepping out of a luxury Porsche 4WD, before moving towards another vehicle in the Spring St carpark.

Shortly after, at 8.30am, Moradian was shot multiple

times while sitting in his black Audi RS4 station wagon.

The alleged shooter then gets back into the 4WD, which is driven by another man, with the vehicle later found burnt out in a nearby street.

"We believe he (Mr Deng) is the person who pulled the trigger that day. There will be further arrests," said detective Acting Superintendent and Taskforce Magnus commander Virginia Gorman.

Two other men, Joseph Santino, 27, and Abdulhakim Ahmad, 28, were arrested at Macquarie Park on Tuesday night where police allegedly seized a gun, 23 rounds of ammunition, 15kg of cocaine, 844g of methylamphetamine

and three encrypted communication devices. There is no suggestion that either is involved in Moradian's death.

The two men who allegedly masterminded Moradian's killing were arrested by Taskforce Magnus last October and their identities remain suppressed.

Mr Deng, represented by Mahmoud Abbas, appeared in Parramatta bail court and did not apply for bail, and will reappear on January 28.

Mr Santino and Mr Ahmad were also denied bail.

Moradian, also known as "Fathead" and "Mr Soprano" was also a senior member of "The Commission", an underworld group set up to try and

keep control of the price of drug imports into Australia.

Before he was killed, Moradian was in hiding and aware of a price on his head.

He had applied to the Commonwealth DPP to change his parole conditions so he could go overseas, but his request was denied.

The 48-year-old had a fearsome reputation and spent ten years behind bars after being arrested as one of the leading figures in a cocaine ring known as the "Golden Gun Syndicate".

Wednesday's arrests are the latest success for Taskforce Magnus, set up to investigate a spate of underworld shootings in recent months.

Strikes at ports costing millions

Jack Quail

A family business owner has called on the federal government to urgently intervene in strikes at the nation's ports that they claim have hammered their bottom line and could make the nation's cost-of-living crunch worse.

The industrial action, led by the Maritime Union of Australia, at container terminals in Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane and Fremantle operated by DP World, one of the country's largest stevedores, has resulted in a backlog of some 45,000 containers and is costing the local economy more than \$20m a day, employers claim.

While the stevedore is seeking to update its rostering arrangement in a bid to reflect current business demands, the union has participated in industrial action since October, undertaking work stoppages and 24-hour strikes to win a pay rise worth 8 per cent a year for its members. The last workplace deal at DP World expired in September 2023.

Freight forwarding company EES Shipping managing director Brian Hack said the economic and reputational damage to Australia would only continue to worsen if the strike didn't end soon.

"This is no longer just about DP World and the MUA, Australian businesses are being significantly impacted and are losing money as a result of ongoing delays and uncertainty," Mr Hack said.

"Our business has lost clients, and we're having to wear thousands of dollars in extra container detention charges due to the backlog and delays."

The stoppages have meant that ships are facing delays of up to 12 days.

Mr Hack added that the extra costs on businesses like his would ultimately affect consumers' hip pockets.

"If we can't get containers off the wharf, we could see shortages of products on shelves again ... maybe that's when the government will step in."



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Lots of hate as Imams rail against Jews, Israel

Three days before Christmas, Imam Ahmad Zoud preached at Sydney's Masjid As-Sunnah mosque on what Jews were really like.

Posted on the mosque's Facebook page, his sermon is one more reason to believe allowing the mass immigration of Muslims – without properly considering how Islam would fit in – has been a mistake.

"The most important characteristic of the Jews is that they are bloodthirsty," Zoud insisted.

"They love to shed blood. From an early age, they raise their children on terrorism, violence and killing."

True, Zoud said not all Jews were like this, "just most of them".

But by "most" Zoud seemed to really mean "all", as he vilified the Jewish "cowards" now fighting in Gaza against the Hamas terrorists he described as holy warriors, or "mujahideen".

"Who are these monsters from whose hearts mercy has been ripped out?" Zoud cried.

"These are the Jews. Betrayal and treachery are among the characteristics of the Jews."

Zoud is not the only Sydney imam to spread a medieval anti-Jew tribalism that has so many Jews here fearing for their safety.

When Hamas started this war with Israel by slaughtering 1200 Jews, Imam Ibrahim Dadoun, for instance, was filmed shouting in a street in Lakemba: "It's a day of victory."

In Sydney's Al Madina Dawah Centre, Abu Ousayd quoted the sacred Hadith to vilify Jews as the "descendants of pigs and monkeys" and foretold the day "when the stones and trees" would say "there is a Jew behind me, come and kill him".

At the As-Sunnah mosque, Zoud is one of several imams to paint this conflict as a holy war between Muslims and evil Jews and their Western allies. You wonder how people so opposed to the West now live in it.

Sheik Kamal Taleb last month also attacked Jews: "We are dealing with an evil and wicked people. People who are against humanity. They always vie and strive to cause mischief on earth."

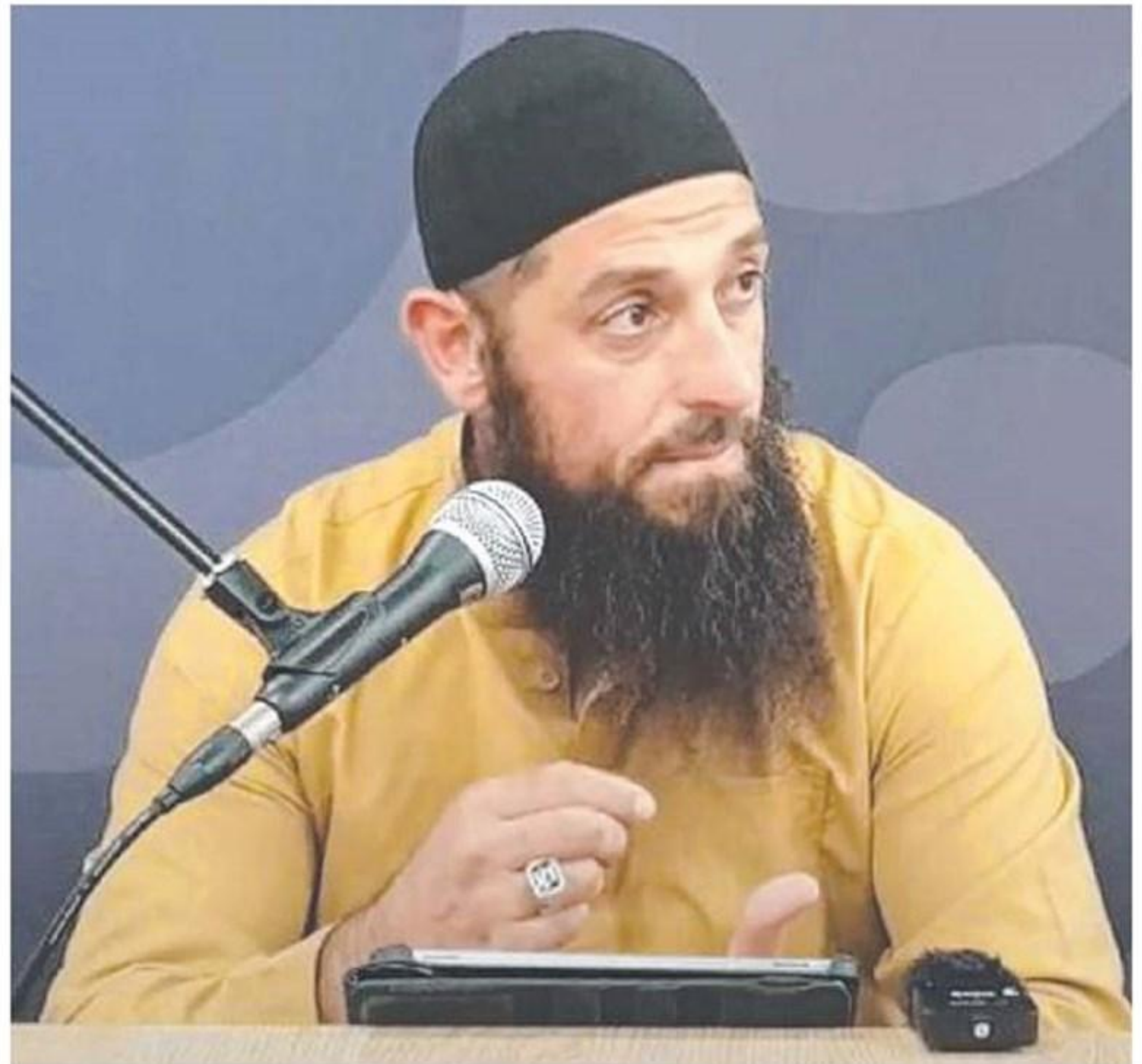
Don't our hate-speech laws apply to Muslim clerics?

Taleb berated the West too: "Some countries, Western countries, are arming ... this criminal Israeli apartheid Nazi regime."

But good news for the faithful: "Even famous people, singers and actors, sports people, are calling (Israel's war) for what it is — a genocide, ethnic cleansing, apartheid, war crimes ... Islam's holy Shrine, this is who you are defending."

When Prime Minister Anthony Albanese praises Test cricketer Usman Khawaja for crusading for Gaza, this kind of imam takes heart.

Last Friday it was the turn of Lebanese-born Sheik Bilal Dannoun, who preached that Islam threatened the ideology of the West — and he meant it as a compliment.



Sydney muslim cleric Abu Ousayd has given public sermons denouncing the Jews and Israel's war on Hamas.

"Look at what is happening at the moment in Palestine," he urged.

"Look at what happened in Afghanistan, look at what happened in Syria, look at what happened in Iraq, in Burma, in Kashmir. It has always been the believer, why is it the believers?"

Forgetting that some of these wars were started by Muslims or included Muslims slaughtering Muslims, Dannoun claimed Muslims were being picked on: "Why is it that we don't see something similar with other religions? Because the other faiths are not a threat. They are not a threat to Western ideology. But Islam is a threat."

If an Australian imam says Islam is a threat to "Western ideology", maybe our politicians should consider that in deciding our immigration intake. After all, Abdul Nacer Benbrika was released only last month after spending 18 years in jail

You wonder how people so opposed to the West now live in it.

for conspiring to attack the Melbourne Cricket Ground, the nuclear reactor at Lucas Heights and other targets. But why had Labor politicians let this Algerian live among us?

He'd refused to go home when his visitor's visa expired and also when he was declared a prohibited non-citizen.

Yet the Keating Labor Government granted him citizenship in 1995, allowing him to claim benefits for years and become the spiritual leader of 16 other would-be terrorists.

He's now reformed, he insisted this week. Son Ibrahim said they were "like any other family".

That's only true if your family includes a convicted terrorist; a son (Ibrahim) convicted of theft, transporting unauthorised fireworks and other crimes; another son (Bakr) found to belong to a small WhatsApp group with three convicted terrorists; and a third son (Oussama) who swapped dozens of messages with the gangster brother of an Australian who died fighting for the Islamic State.

If that's now an Australian family "like any other", our immigration program is more dangerous than even I suspected. Time our politicians got serious.

Albanese still hasn't found his voice on cost of living

Anthony Albanese held a press conference on Wednesday to announce he's starting this new year by making ... the same mistakes.

It was bizarre. Here's how the Prime Minister — savaged last year for his love of foreign travel and junkets — started: "I am very positive as we enter the New Year and later this morning I will be attending, briefly, Davey Warner's last Test match at the SCG."

That "briefly" seems the only

concession to the widespread feeling that Albanese should knuckle down at the office.

And what of the dreadful optics of that presser, held after a year in which Albanese was monstered for trying to divide Australians by race with his referendum on the Voice, an Aboriginal-only advisory parliament.

The Sky News coverage showed Albanese squarely in front of the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander flags, with just half our Australian flag peeping from the right of the screen.

Can Labor go back to Project

Australia — one nation for one people — and scrap its suicidal vision of a nation of warring tribes?

Not likely under Albanese, who earlier this week pitched even harder for the Muslim vote, even though it is Jews who tell me they no longer feel safe here, given all the Jew hatred.

Again with cricket on his mind, Albanese praised Test batsman Usman Khawaja "for the courage he has shown standing up for human values".

In fact, Khawaja, a Muslim of Pakistani descent, has campaigned

less for "human values" than for a Muslim cause during Israel's war against the Hamas terrorist group that runs Gaza and still holds dozens of Jewish women hostage, along with Jewish men.

Yes, the slogans on Khawaja's shoes sound like "human values" — "freedom is a human right", "all lives are equal" — but they were in the colours of the Palestinian flag.

I don't recall Khawaja likewise protesting against Hamas slaughtering 1200 Jews and raping dozens of Jewish women.

I also don't recall Albanese praising any Jewish athlete or artist — Deborah Conway, for instance — for crusading for the Jewish victims and at far greater personal cost.

At least Albanese did tell the press conference he wanted "cost of living relief" in the May Budget, after more than a year and a half of high inflation.

Great. But what that would be, he couldn't say.

It seems 2024 will be a long and grinding road for Albanese, with no sign he's found his map.

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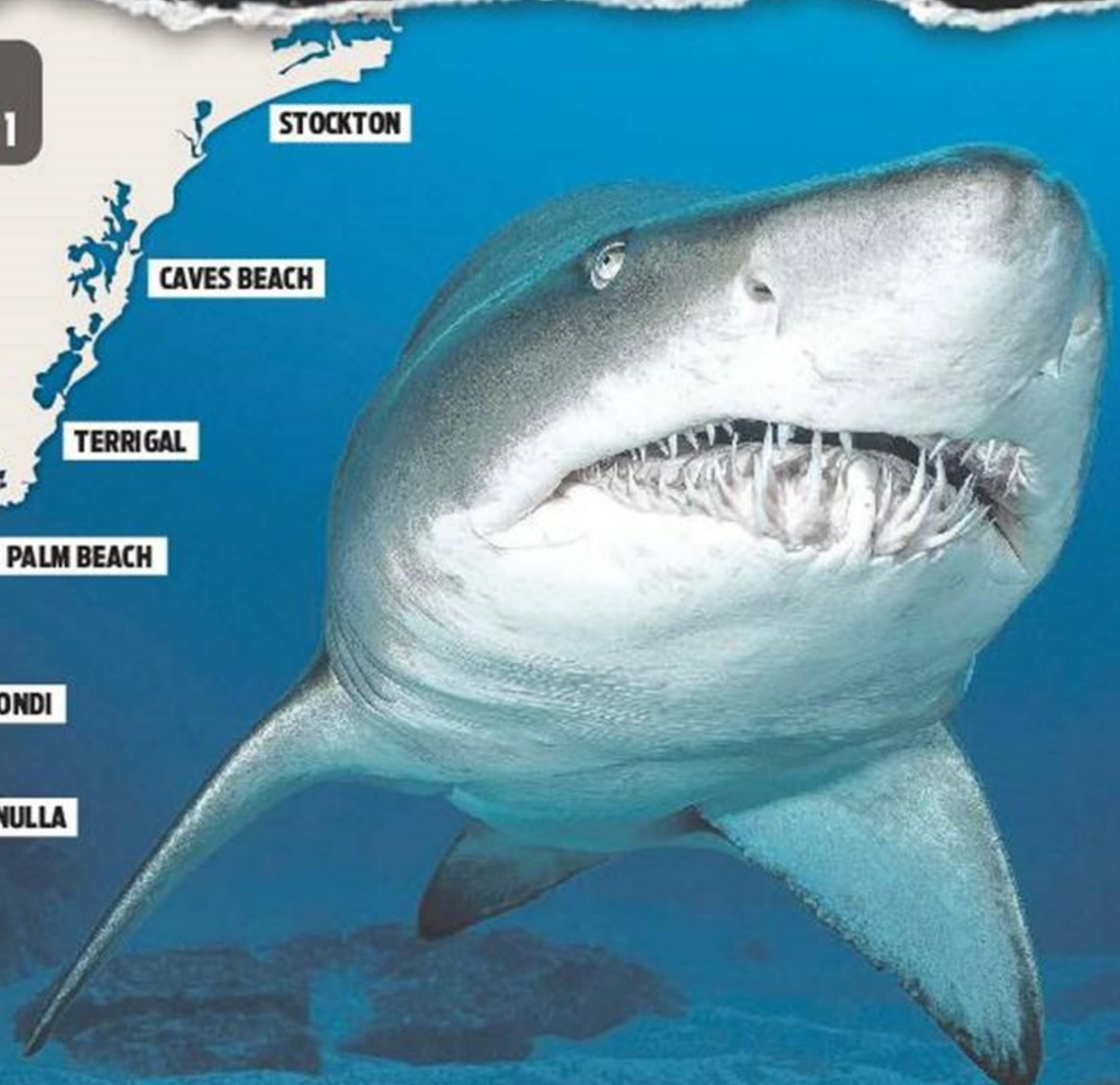
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A shark at South West Rocks on the state's mid-north coast.

EXCLUSIVE
Madeleine Bower

Hundreds of dangerous sharks are being tracked off the coast of NSW as thousands of holidaymakers flock to the state's beaches, with ocean patrollers taking an average of 19 minutes to reach any of the animals caught in the state's coastal defences.

Known as the shark high-way patrol, the trackers sweep the ocean for any danger that might lurk below the surface, catching, tagging and tracking sharks using the state government's Shark-Management-

Alert-in-Real-Time (SMART) drumlines.

The technology caught 502 "target sharks" – those most dangerous to humans – across NSW beaches in the 12 months to July last year, including 349 great whites, 124 tiger sharks and 29 bull sharks.

"Once you've caught a shark on the SMART drumline and it's tagged and released, every time the animal swims within 500 metres of one of the 37 listening stations along the coast it picks up the signal from the shark's acoustic tag sending an alert to the SharkSmart app, letting the community know

We're doing as much as we possibly can to increase protection for beachgoers

DPI shark program leader Marcel Green

where the sharks are," Department of Primary Industries shark program leader, Marcel Green, said.

The largest number of sharks were caught between

Forster and Evans Head on the mid-north coast. This area was also where the most tagged sharks were detected by the listening stations.

Once tagged and relocated

1km offshore, the sharks move away from the coast for an average of 74 days before they are detected again, the department has found.

While the SMART drumlines cause less damage to marine life than shark nets, their efficacy as a shark deterrent is still being debated.

In August last year surfer Toby Begg, 44, lost a leg during an attack by a 4m great white shark at Lighthouse Beach in Port Macquarie, where there were two SMART drumlines installed.

For Mr Green there is no silver bullet when it comes to

shark deterrents, arguing it is a combination of technologies and constant innovation that makes the program effective.

"We're doing as much as we possibly can to increase protection for beachgoers while also increasing the survivorship and lack of impact on other marine life," he said.

"SMART drumlines have a much higher release and survival rate. For nets the release and survival rate is around 40 per cent, while for the drumlines it's closer to 90 per cent."

The Daily Telegraph joined the patrol out on the water to get an inside look at the

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Once a shark is caught, it is tagged and taken further out to sea to be released.



Drones are also used to track sharks off the NSW coast.



Marcel Green sets drumlines off the coast of Manly. Picture: Rohan Kelly

HOW TO STAY SAFE IN THE WATER

Top tips from shark scientist Paul Butcher

DON'T SWIM BEFORE DAWN OR AFTER DUSK

We know sharks feed primarily at night, especially tiger and bull sharks. Additionally, while swimmers will have no visibility, sharks are still able to see them.

AVOID AREAS WITH BAIT FISH OR LOTS OF FISH ACTIVITY

If you see birds diving or dolphins feeding there is obviously bait fish there so try to steer clear of those areas. Lots of predators such as birds or dolphins hunting fish is a good sign sharks will not be far behind.

AVOID AREAS USED BY RECREATIONAL AND COMMERCIAL FISHING

Areas used by large commercial fishing boats attract sharks in much the same way as bait fish. A single bait from small recreational fishers is not going to attract a shark but if there is a commercial fishing operation that is catching lots of fish there may be discards and sharks and dolphins feeding around those areas.

AVOID FLOODED WATERWAYS OR RIVER MOUTHS

These are areas where food sources may be coming out. Sharks often forage around murky waters in these areas where there is often a lot of available food.

LOOK AT THE SHARKSAFE APP BEFORE SURFING

The app allows you to see if there have been a large number of sharks recorded in the area. If there is a large amount of shark activity at a certain beach, you can decide to choose another place to surf.

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While the SMART drumline itself looks like a simple hook with bait connected to a buoy floating on top of the water, it is a critical part of an advanced tagging system.

Mr Green explains a mullet is used as bait designed to attract the three "target" sharks. After an animal is hooked an alert goes out to a DPI contractor who immediately responds.

Target sharks are then tagged with GPS satellite and acoustic tracking devices to enable them to be monitored via satellites and listening stations.

The sharks are also subjected to an oral and an anal swab to gather as much biological data about the animal as possible. Non-target animals are immediately released on the spot, while target sharks are taken further out to sea and released.

The shark deterrence program is one of the most expensive in the world, costing NSW taxpayers nearly \$21.4 million a year.

Contractors are always on call and given a maximum of 30 minutes to respond to alerts that potentially dangerous sharks have been caught on

one of the state's 305 SMART drumlines. They also monitor shark nets installed at 51 beaches along the state's coast, though these are only checked every three days.

The measures are part of a shark management strategy which also includes drones and helicopter surveillance.

In August last year Premier Chris Minns rejected requests from coastal councils to scrap shark nets along some of the state's most popular beaches, including Bondi.

The nets, which are used between September and April, have created tension among

coastal communities and are strongly opposed by environmental groups due to the death toll of marine life, such as dolphins and turtles, which get entangled in the mesh.

Yet with the government conceding it would consider the viability of removing shark nets in the future, all eyes will be on how effective new technologies such as smart drumlines, drones and listening stations are at mitigating shark-related incidents this summer.

Mr Minns said last year he was not confident the new technology was a suitable re-

placement for the shark nets.

"We're not in a position at the moment where we can say ... that these new technologies are as good a replacement as shark nets for Sydney beaches," he said.

Yet Agriculture Minister Tara Moriarty said the increase in drumlines and drone surveillance along the state's coast was working.

"The data shows us SMART drumlines and drones are effective at reducing shark interactions, and beachgoers can further reduce their risk of an encounter by downloading the SharkSmart app," she said.



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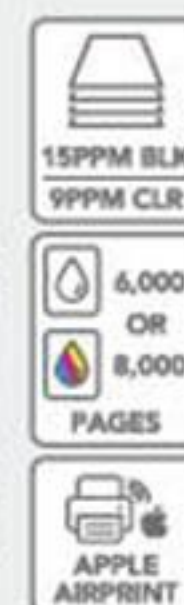
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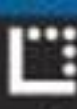
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Daring strike on evil leader

Israel's drone operation takes out Hamas commander in Lebanon

Andrew Koubaridis and
Tiffany Bakker

Hamas's deputy leader was killed in an Israeli drone strike in Beirut as Israel's war against Palestinian militants reached Lebanon's capital.

Saleh al-Aruri was killed along with his bodyguards in the strike by Israel, which vowed to destroy Hamas after the movement's unprecedented October 7 attacks.

Aruri, one of the founders of Hamas' military wing, had headed the group's presence in the West Bank and had been a target for Israel even before the attacks that killed 1200 Israelis.



A billboard depicting Saleh al-Aruri in Gaza.

Israel has previously announced the killing in Gaza of Hamas commanders and officials during the war but Aruri is the most high-profile figure to be killed.

Israeli army spokesman Daniel Hagari did not directly

comment on Aruri's killing but said the military was "highly prepared for any scenario" in its aftermath.

Lebanese state media reported the strike hit a Hamas office in Beirut's southern suburbs, a stronghold of Lebanon's Hezbollah movement, which is a Hamas ally and backed by Iran.

Hamas TV also said Israel had killed Aruri in Lebanon, and Lebanese media reported a total of seven people were killed in the attack.

Hamas said the killing would not lead to its defeat, while Hezbollah vowed Aruri's death would not go "unpunished".

Hezbollah called it "a serious assault on Lebanon ... and a dangerous development in the course of the war".

Lebanese Prime Minister Najib Mikati condemned the killing and said it "aims to draw Lebanon" further into the Israel-Hamas war.

In a call with Israeli war cabinet member Benny Gantz after the strike, French President Emmanuel Macron urged Israel to "avoid any escalatory attitude, particularly in Lebanon".

Since the conflict began on October 8, fighting has been concentrated a few kilometres from the border but, on several occasions, Israel's air force hit

Hezbollah targets deeper in Lebanon.

Earlier in the day, Hezbollah said its fighters carried out several attacks along the Lebanon-Israel border targeting Israeli military posts.

It comes as Israeli troops announced they had also killed a Hamas commander who helped lead the October 7 terror attack.

Adil Mismah, the Nukhba Company Commander of the city of Deir al-Balah, was "eliminated," Israeli Defense Forces said via social media.

Mismah had led terrorists into the Kibbutz Kissufim and ordered other gunmen to rav-

age the communities of Nirim and Be'eri, according to The Jerusalem Post.

The commander was slain in an air strike directed by Israeli ground troops, officials said.

Israel has said its war in the disputed territory will last for months to come, resisting international calls for a prolonged ceasefire.

More than 21,800 people in Gaza have been killed, according to the Hamas-run Gaza Health Ministry.

Israel has claimed that more than 8000 of those are terrorists. Neither side has provided evidence to back up their death toll claims.



A crash investigation official inspects the wreckage of a Japan coast guard plane on the tarmac at Tokyo International Airport after the fiery collision. Picture: Richard A Brooks/AFP

Questions over who cleared Japanese jet to land

TOKYO: Japanese investigators are trying to discover how the country's main airport suffered a catastrophic collision between a coast guard plane and a passenger jet – as the national carrier appeared to point the finger at the control tower.

Five people on the coast guard aircraft died but all 379 passengers

and crew on the jet escaped to safety minutes before the Japan Airlines Airbus was engulfed in flames. It took eight hours to extinguish the fires on both planes.

The captain of the coast guard plane – which had been carrying aid to the New Year's Day earthquake zone and so was an unscheduled,

special flight – was its lone survivor but suffered serious injuries.

Government officials have pledged to investigate how the incident happened in a country that had not seen a serious commercial aviation accident for decades.

Asked whether the plane had secured landing permission from air

traffic control, officials at Japan Airlines said: "Our understanding is that it was given."

That suggests the mistake was made by the control tower. But JAL and the government declined to comment directly on exchanges between flight controllers and the two planes, citing the ongoing

investigation – and leading to questions as to how at fault.

In a recording from Haneda's control tower apparently taken in the moments before the collision, available on a site that broadcasts live air traffic signals, a voice can be heard advising JAL's flight to "continue approach".

Trump fighting to get back on ballot

WASHINGTON: Former US president Donald Trump has filed an appeal against a ruling by the top election official in Maine that would keep him off the presidential primary ballot in the northeastern state.

Maine last week joined Colorado in barring Mr Trump from appearing on the primary ballot because of his role in the January 6, 2021 assault on the Capitol by his supporters.

Mr Trump's lawyers urged the Maine Superior Court to toss out the ruling by Maine Secretary of State Shenna Bellows.

Woke Harvard boss forced out the door

NEW YORK: Harvard University president Claudine Gay has resigned after criticism of her handling of anti-Semitism and her alleged plagiarism – making her the shortest-serving president in the college's history.

During an appearance last month before a congressional committee investigating anti-Semitism on US, she struggled to answer if calling for the "genocide of Jews" would violate the university's rules on bullying.

Soon after, claims emerged of plagiarism in her award-winning thesis.

Mickey Mouse's star turn as a mad killer

LOS ANGELES: Horror movies featuring Mickey Mouse as the killer have been announced within a day of an early version of Disney's mascot entering the public domain.

On January 1, the 1928 version of Mickey Mouse in the film Steamboat Willie became available for public use.

The first movie out will be Mickey's Mouse Trap, a slasher movie featuring a killer wearing the 1928-Mickey mask. Another film will feature a sadistic mouse terrorising a group of ferry passengers.

Tennis ace is serving it up to the Russians

KYIV: The world's best tennis players are in Australia for the Open, but former quarter-finalist Alexandr Dolgoplov is a world away from the hotels and the fans – fighting against the Russian invasion of Ukraine.

The 35-year-old is back in Kyiv awaiting a new deployment after serving on the frontline for several months defending his homeland against the Russian invaders.

He admits his family "were unhappy" at his joining up in 2022. "It is my home so I think you have to do something," Dolgoplov said.

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With Jonathon Moran, Karlie Rutherford & Mikaela Wilkes



Bananaland gets a zany wiggle on



'CAST IS BEYOND OUR WILDEST FANTASIES'

Very, very funny and full of heart," is how Kate Miller-Heidke sums up Bananaland, the new musical by the multi-talented singer and her writing partner and husband Keir Nuttall.

"There was a guy in Brisbane who we had to stop the show to get an ambulance for because he was having an asthma attack from laughing so hard," she said.

The delightfully absurd show, loosely inspired by The Wiggles' origin story, opens on Friday at Riverside Theatres in Parramatta, where it will exclusively run as part of the Sydney Festival until January 28.

The show's star is Max McKenna, who first worked with Miller-Heidke and Nuttall on Muriel's Wedding: The Musical; the non-binary star's performance as the goofy Muriel was one of the more memorable mainstage debuts in recent decades.

In Bananaland, McKenna plays Ruby, the lead singer of Kitty Litter, a failing political punk rock band facing an existential quandary.

Kitty Litter accidentally become a pop sensation when one of their songs — sticking the middle finger to mining magnate Clive Palmer — is

misinterpreted as "a children's anthem about a magical land where everyone gets a free banana".

They could continue to rage against the machine, or cash in.

"Everyone in the cast is beyond our wildest fantasies in terms of bringing these characters to life, and every single one is completely loveable," Miller-Heidke said. "We certainly had people in mind when we were writing the songs, particularly Max McKenna, who we were in awe of after working with them on Muriel."

Bananaland is Nuttall's first original work, born on the couch during the pandemic, while he was watching a lot of Wiggles with son Ernie, then three.

Any doubts the duo had about the production's funniness were quelled when it debuted at Brisbane Festival in 2023: "When everybody started pissing themselves we knew it was good."

Bananaland isn't aimed at kids, though they might like it anyway.

"Anyone from 10 on is going to appreciate it," Miller-Heidke said.

"Ernie is seven and loves it. The dick jokes go over his head."

"The dream would be for it to travel Australia and have a big long life."



Bananaland co-creator Kate Miller-Heidke (main); and the show which is playing at the Sydney Festival. Pictures: Jonathan Ng, Gaye Gerard

HELLO TO A LITTLE REBEL

Rebel Wilson is kicking off the new year with family.

On Tuesday, the Pitch Perfect star, 43, shared a series of sweet photos on Instagram with daughter Royce, 13 months, and fiancée Ramona Agruma as the family of three celebrated New Year's Day in Los Angeles together.

"2024's already GREAT!," Wilson wrote.

The trio smiled in front of the Californian ocean together, as they had their "Nobu New Year's Day lunch," in Malibu.

Royce is pictured smiling and giggling in their West Hollywood backyard as she holds her mum's hands.

Wilson and her family arrived back in Sydney this week, where they are basing themselves in a luxurious Bondi beachfront rental while she directs new film, The Deb, in both Rozelle and regional NSW.

"I wanted to bring my family back here because my little daughter, it's her first time in Australia and she is loving it... Everything is so safe here," she said.



Pair's Italian dream revealed by widow

Jock Zonfrillo's widow Lauren Fried has revealed the couple's heartwarming plans for their future together before his untimely death last year.



Taking to Instagram on what would've been the pair's seventh wedding anniversary on Wednesday, Fried shared how they wished to "grow old together" in Europe. "Our dream of growing old together in the middle of nowhere in Italy — kids and dogs under our feet, you laughing your enormous laugh, falling asleep on your chest — is so vivid," she wrote.

Fried was in Italy at the time of the MasterChef judge's death, aged 46, on April 30. The couple had only just moved to Rome.

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Smith split

Sam Smith is single again after splitting from fashion designer boyfriend Christian Cowan.

They had dated since January and were last pictured together on December 14.

The Sun claims the English singer, whose hits include Unholy, is back on celebrity dating app Raya.



Kanye posts risqué pics of Aussie wife

Apparently Kanye West is OK with his wife being "overly sexualised" ... so long as it's Bianca Censori.

The controversial rapper used Wednesday to share risqué photos of Censori — whom he married in December 2022 — modelling a black bikini so tiny that it barely covered his Australian wife's nipples, a micro thong, and a teeny fuzzy bandeau that barely covered her breasts. "No pants this year," he wrote.

Social media users were mostly critical of the posts.



Voice rejection baffles director

A respected film and TV director says Australia's rejection of the Voice to Parliament was an "embarrassment" for the country.

Issa Lopez made the comment while spruiking True Detective: Night Country, which she wrote and directed.

The fourth instalment of the TV franchise stars Jodie Foster as a detective in Alaska. A strong element of the series is the region's Inupiaq history, culture and population.



EDITORIAL

The Daily Telegraph

Labor's latest asylum battle

Previous challenges to Australia's border security were largely confined to our coastlines.

During the lamentably lax era of border perforation overseen by the sequential Rudd-Gillard-Rudd governments, people smugglers hit numerous weak points.

One of their key strategies was to ensure that bogus maritime arrivals in Australian territory were not carrying any passports or identifying papers.

This tactic made it extremely difficult for our border authorities to judge if asylum seekers were genuine. In those cases, the benefit of the doubt tended to go with asylum claimants – even if they were plainly lying about such matters as their age.

In those days, asylum seekers rarely arrived by air. Identification required by airlines and airports used to find them out.

But they've since found ways to make even air arrivals a viable path to asylum. As The Daily Telegraph reports, a record number of asylum seekers are arriving in Australia by plane, with more than 2000 new claimants every month.

Their nations of origin tend to give the game away.

In November, Vietnam – more a tourist destination these days than a war zone – was the source of our the largest number of asylum seekers. Then followed China, Vanuatu and India.

In news that will shock exactly nobody, the huge majority of asylum applications from these nations are rightly rejected.

The work of processing thousands of asylum claims, however, remains time-consuming and expensive. There is also the large and growing pressure upon our border security officials to consider.

When the Albanese Labor government came to office in May last year, asylum applications were running at about 1000 per month. Observers warned that numbers would increase if the new government was perceived as soft on border issues.

Word seems to have gotten out. Asylum claims are now romping along at 2000 per month.

Labor can talk all it wants about \$160m border plans.

Australians would just be happy with something that works.

Jarome heads West in trademark style

He's joined Wests Tigers for more than \$1.2m per season – and Jarome Luai's press conference was almost as impressive as the major transfer announcement itself.

One highlight among many was Luai's response to comments from

his Penrith coach Ivan Cleary that signing the departing Panthers star was a risky decision.

"It did shock me a bit," Luai said, "but he's not lying."

Luai has vowed to use Cleary's words as motivation. Let's hope we hear about it during season 2024.

Hail to the tail, our lower order heroes

Australia's current bowling attack is one of the finest in Test cricket's entire near 150-year history.

That being the case, few were surprised when the talented Pakistan team was reduced to 5/96 shortly after lunch on the first day of the Third Test.

The Australians might have expected to be batting before tea. Pakistan tailenders Aamer Jamal and Mohammad Rizwan, however, had other ideas.

Lower-order batting is quite an art. No one anticipates any impressive scores, let alone a barrage of fours and sixes – but that's what Jamal delivered.

The final hour of play on Wednesday was one of the most entertaining hours of the whole Australian summer thus far.

It was valuable, too, carrying Pakistan past 300 and making a game of things. So what can Sydney's cricket fans look forward to on Thursday?

Well, it just so happens that a local fellow by the name of David Warner is at the crease, where he'll resume his innings this morning on six not out.

Warner smacked the first ball he faced in his final Test for four, so it's clear what kind of mood he's in.

Tailenders were the stars of day one, but Warner may very well dominate the Test's second day.

Letters

NBN rebate needed

That battling families are pulling the plug on the NBN after its prices went up by as much as 10 per cent per month (DT, 3/1) is, to say the least, not a good outcome.

High costs limiting access to this essential internet service means locking out basic services for households that are already doing it tough dealing with other costs of living pressures.

Perhaps there is a valid case for low-income earners on government assistance to have a concessional lower NBN cost or rebate, as with power and gas costs.

Steve Ngeow, Chatswood

Valued contribution

I read with interest James Morrow's column "Left's attack big blow to our social cohesion" (DT, 3/1).

I do feel our social fabric is fraying and we are being divided into camps – those who have an Australian flag on their front lawn and those who are ashamed of our great nation.

I feel great pride in my family's part in building Australia.

My mother's side were of convict stock, arrived in chains and worked hard for their freedom, becoming great contributors in their own small ways, and their descendants have all contributed to building Australia.

My father's ancestors were free settlers who arrived in the 1860s to flee the lack of opportunity in the UK.

They purchased 100 acres at Swan Hill and cleared it with an axe to grow crops and support themselves.

Descendants of both my convict and farming ancestors fought as Anzacs.

Some came home while several are buried in Gallipoli and Belgium having fallen in combat defending our freedom.

The following generations each contributed in their own ways to building our country.

I'm proud of them all because these Celts with skin badly suited to the harsh Australian sun each brought and still bring a determination to continue to make our country great.

We should be proud of our country.

Toby O'Bree, Blue Mountains

Undeserved claim

I read about an Aboriginal land claim in Hunters Hill (DT, 2/1).

The answer should be No.

Dare I say, Australia was underdeveloped when the First Fleet arrived.

Now it is developed and will continue to be so.

There are always people who want to jump in and take the cream off the top even when they don't deserve it and when they have not toiled to make it so.

Rob Allsopp, Lake Haven

Indigenous greed

All levels of government need to take a firm stand against the increasingly vociferous Aboriginal organisations seeking to appropriate public land.

Selling public parkland and bushland to developers reeks of hypocrisy.

It makes a mockery of any claim that Aborigines have a sacred connection to the land.

The demand for "reparations" camouflages greedy self-interest and economic opportunism.

METRO NOT ANSWER TO CONGESTION



A Sydney Metro train.

Like the Coalition government that commissioned it, Paul Nicolaou of Business Sydney quotes the engineer's capacity for the Metro trains which is based on seats plus four passengers per square metre in standing areas ("New Metros will better connect our modern city", DT, 3/1).

The service capacity is based on seats plus two passengers per square metre in standing areas.

The engineer's capacity ensures people don't die if they "crush-on" to get to or from a major event, but is far too distressing to passengers for normal service.

A Waratah double-deck train can carry 50 per cent more passengers in service compared to a similar length Metro train.

Services at two-minute intervals are unreliable as passengers resist "herding".

It is better to lengthen the train than reduce the interval below the Waratah's three-minute intervals.

Metros are designed for short trips with many stops.

If we want people to make cross-metropolitan journeys by rail, the Waratahs offer a faster, more comfortable service.

The Waratahs could operate driverless in the Metro corridors with additional electronics and changes to the platform screen doors.

Peter Egan, Mosman

As we face the prospect of losing more and more of our beautiful parks and bush it is time for our government to put its foot down and put an end to this.

Andrew Miles, Manly

Warner loses crown

As Tasmania's favourite royal is about to get her golden crown, resplendent in a king's ransom of jewelled excellence, it is timely that our king of cricket has lost his ("Cap burglar", DT, 3/1).

Many Australians probably had no idea that the same baggy cap stays with a player for his whole career.

During fundraising for the 2019 bushfires, Shane Warne raised \$1 million when his cap was auctioned.

The value of the cap is achieved by its lifelong association with a single champion, so the person who currently holds David Warner's

baggy green cap can never capitalise on it without disclosing its history and his culpable guilt.

Pranks happen, but one hopes the villain returns the emotionally valuable cap with a sensible apology.

When Australia wins the Sydney Test, we will all be in a forgiving mood surely.

Alan Sexton, North Parramatta

Twistoffate

What a strange twist to "cap off" Dave Warner's career.

He isn't even a bowler and has been hit for a six.

The franticness he must have gone through as he rifled through his belongings, only to realise the backpack containing his precious "baggy greens" was gone must have been devastating.

But on the other side of the coin, some might say that Warner wasn't robbed but cheated out of his baggy greens.

Robert May, Lakemba

No bag is safe

Recently on a train from Wauchope to Sydney someone rifled through my bag and stole my gold-embossed Emirates cosmetics bag.

All they got was some Band-Aids and some toothpaste.

Not just any toothpaste, however. It was that one that is advertised on TV along the lines of "People everywhere are looking for a toothpaste that does everything".

If they are that desperate for this toothpaste, no bag is safe – not even one containing baggy greens.

Jackie Harrington, Lake Cathie

Reason to tune out

I completely agree with the comments from your readers ("How Clover & ABC let us down", Letters, 3/1).

For the first time in my life I turned off the TV after the 9pm fireworks.

I did not want to see another great spectacle spoilt by such terrible background music, let alone watch such poor "entertainment" spoil the night.

Barry Turner, Miranda

Sell the ABC

To all the people complaining about the ABC's New Year's Eve entertainment and fireworks, what did you expect?

I knew what to expect so I didn't even turn it on.

I don't know why the government doesn't sell the ABC.

Anthony Minarovic, Isabella Plains, ACT

Danish pride

As a Danish Australian, it is wonderful news that Princess Mary will become the Queen of Denmark and the first Australian to be the queen of any country.

Thomas Carrie, Kiama

New Tassie symbol

For decades the Tasmanian devil has been the internationally recognised symbol from our south.

Now a woman called Mary has taken over the role.

Stephen Sutton, Wagga Wagga

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Best of Warren Brown



Warren Brown is on leave

Be wary of who is an expert

Gary Martin



As we step into 2024, a year guaranteed to be full of complexities and uncertainties, the heightened demand for genuine expertise to guide us through our challenges will become even more important.

The dilemma we face is that too many people are in a rush to claim their expertise, making it increasingly difficult to discern genuine or real experts from those who are still learning the ropes. In today's era of digital self-promotion and personal branding, the term "expert" is thrown around like confetti at a wedding celebration.

So-called experts are everywhere. Individuals self-assign this once prestigious title along with others like coach, consultant and specialist to impress others, attract fresh business prospects, gain speaking opportunities or boost their book sales. A novice cook who decides to share a few recipes on a blog declares they are a culinary expert. A traveller who describes his/her own limited experiences on a social media platform promotes himself/herself as a world travel consultant. A person who successfully quits smoking for a few months positions as a "quit smoking coach".

There's also the individual who completes a coding bootcamp and subsequently calls herself/himself a software development guru, the parent who has raised four children who markets himself/herself as a parenting expert and the former manager who proudly identifies as a management specialist.

Put simply, being an expert has become a trendy label, applied to anyone with a hint of knowledge. Becoming an expert requires substantial education or training, thousands of hours of practice, a deep understanding of the subject and a desire to continue learning to stay up-to-date.

Some also regard experts to be effective communicators who can explain complex concepts to others, making their knowledge accessible and understandable.

You can't claim the expert title yourself. Only when others label you an expert does it become a reality. As we start a brand new year, if you are finding yourself in need of guidance or expertise, look out for those who embody the principles of unwavering dedication, continuous learning and a proven track record.

In a world awash with self-proclaimed experts, let's champion those who have truly earned their stripes and, in doing so, let us collectively raise the standard in 2024.

Professor Gary Martin is a workplace and social affairs expert

Lack of certification set to obstruct housing plans

Jill Brookfield



Registered certifiers will play a key role in delivering on the Minns Government's housing vision in 2024, however nearly half the workforce say they're considering leaving the profession.

Without independent officials available to issue development certificates for building and subdivision work, the government's plan to deliver 75,000 new houses each year will grind to a halt.

Like everyone else in NSW, the Association of Australian certifiers is pleased to see the Minns Government's steadfast resolve in finding solutions to solve the state's housing crisis.

Prior to the March election, we urged all parties to boost housing supply and address bottlenecks in the system – including the outdated rules preventing private certifiers from performing the same functions as council certifiers.

This makes little sense, particularly given private certification was an initiative of the Carr Government in 1998 to remove unnecessary regulation and streamline the assessment

process, with the aim to reduce approval response times and improve services to applicants, taking pressure off Councils unable to process development applications quickly enough.

We have repeatedly warned the Minns Government the dwindling numbers of Registered certifiers in NSW will put a huge handbrake on the expediency of any major reform. Added to the shortage is the scale of the work they undertake and the barriers placed in front of them.

There is a huge over-complexity of legislation and some controls are just archaic, which cause grief to certifiers and other industry practitioners.

And then there is the Planning Portal, which quite simply is not fit for purpose.

The Portal is counter intuitive in how information must be submitted and does not recognise the complex nature of what is required – it's a well-known secret among those in certification and planning that the government is being let down by its technology.

The technology has become a direct barrier for certifiers who are endeavouring to issue development approvals and occupation certificates to assist NSW in delivering new homes, keep the economy moving and relieve the housing crisis.

It's not just certifiers who are battling with the Portal on a daily basis. The AAC is aware homeowners struggle with the platform as do other industry practitioners who meet simi-

lar barriers to use the Portal effectively. It's why a recent survey of our members across NSW made for sobering reading as it highlights the significant Certifier workforce shortage and those who are currently practicing feel under significant strain.

Nearly 80 per cent of the certifiers AAC surveyed said their workload was "high" or that they were "drowning in work".

Recruitment challenges have also persisted, with over a third of Certifier vacancies taking longer than 12 months to fill. An insufficient number of certifiers in the workforce is contributing to this high workload and causing people to leave the profession prematurely.

Nearly half of the certifiers that completed the survey were unsure if they were staying in the industry or had already decided that they will be leaving in the next 12-18 months.

The top reasons they identified as

“Make no mistake, the housing crisis cannot be solved without certifiers.”

to why they are considering leaving are retirement, new career opportunities and work-related stress.

The certifier workforce is aging, with many experienced certifiers retiring amid growing concerns of insufficient certifiers in the future.

Nearly half of the certifier workforce is aged over 50 and only 15 per cent are less than 35 years old.

Certifiers who are leaving the industry unanimously point to stress and high workloads. More than two thirds of certifiers reported working over the normal 38-hour work week, with nearly a third reporting that they worked over 50 hours on a weekly basis. Many survey respondents cited the difficulties in attracting young people to the profession due to negative perceptions about certifiers and overly onerous registration pathways.

This is a real shame because a career as a registered certifier offers an enormous amount of flexibility, it is well-remunerated and it has long-term prospects as we look to deliver the new housing NSW needs.

NSW is facing the reality that it cannot house its people – and addressing this challenge will require the government to pull multiple policy levers.

Make no mistake, the housing crisis cannot be solved without certifiers. Without a concerted effort from the Minns Government, registered certifiers will be few and far between.

Jill Brookfield is the CEO of the Association Australian of certifiers

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TIME, GENTLEMEN

Truce reached at Endeavour as chairman and key director step down

Eli Greenblatt
Megan Neil

The civil war that engulfed the board of liquor and pubs giant Endeavour Group late last year has finally claimed the job of its under-siege chairman Peter Hearl.

Board director Bruce Mathieson Jr is also stepping down, in a board restructure aimed at putting the nastiness of 2023 behind it. The slated departure of Mr Mathieson Jr comes after the public battle before last year's annual general meeting that saw his father, Bruce Mathieson Sr, support a rebel candidate for the board and launch a savage verbal personal attack on Endeavour chief executive Steve Donohue and Mr Hearl.

As Endeavour's largest shareholder with a stake of 15 per cent, the Mathiesons will still be extended a boardroom seat. Mr Mathieson Jr's resignation will take effect on June 30, or at an earlier date if agreed between him and the board.

Endeavour owns 1700 retail chains under its Dan Murphy's and BWS banners as well as a network of 354 pubs – created from the pub's empire owned by the Mathieson family.

On Wednesday, the group said Peter Margin and Ari Mervis have been selected to join the board as new directors to fill casual vacancies, subject to probity and the receipt of regulatory approvals.

Mr Mervis, who is also the new chairman-elect, is increasingly being seen as the director companies turn to help restructure boards and seal rifts.



Board renewal

IN

ARI MERVIS
Chairman-elect

PETER MARGIN
Nominated director

OUT

PETER HEARL
Chairman

BRUCE MATHIESON JR
Director

He was recently appointed as chairman of department store owner Myer.

Mr Mervis is also the chairman of McPherson's, which has gone through its own shareholder and operational turmoil. Mr Margin has extensive corporate and boardroom experience as former chief executive of Goodman Fielder and National Foods and is chairman of both Bega Cheese and Golf Australia.

Endeavour's internal troubles erupted last year in the lead-up to its AGM, when rebel candidate Bill Wavish, a former Woolworths supermarket boss and executive

chairman of Myer, put his hand up to run for the board and won support from Mr Mathieson Sr.

The AGM turned into a nasty public spectacle as former Woolworths boss Roger Corbett swung his support behind Mr Wavish and launched withering attacks on Endeavour, its board, CEO and chairman and was joined by the Mathieson camp in the brawl.

It also fuelled a proxy battle as the warring camps lobbied for support. Mr Wavish eventually lost the shareholder vote at the rowdy AGM but it left Endeavour's board in open conflict.

It is believed that negotia-

tions for a peace deal started at the end of the AGM.

Mr Hearl will oversee the new director appointments and intends to retire from the board after Mr Mervis obtains all necessary regulatory approvals and an orderly transition to become the new chairman, anticipated to be by the end of April.

Mr Hearl has served as Endeavour's inaugural chairman since 2021, leading the company through its demerger from Woolworths as a stand-alone liquor and pubs giant.

"We welcome Ari and Peter to the Endeavour Group," Mr Hearl said. "Our focus on a de-

liberate and comprehensive process for board renewal has secured experienced and respected company directors.

"Ari and Peter's nomination completes the first phase of our board renewal process and future director appointments will be overseen by the new chairman-elect."

In his ASX statement, Mr Hearl acknowledged Mr Mathieson Jr's contribution to the business.

Mr Mathieson Jr in turn said he was confident that Mr Margin and Mr Mervis' skills and experience would contribute significantly to the board and the company.

Canva draws a \$1.48bn payday

Jared Lynch

Longtime investors and employees at Canva are set for a \$US1bn (\$1.48bn) payday, with the company close to finalising a deal on the sale of a tranche of shares ahead of a potential public listing.

The Australian-owned digital design and visual communication platform won't raise any money from the deal, which is set to value the company at \$US26bn and involve early investors and staff selling stock to new investors, according to US reports.

The news comes after a similar deal the company struck last August that involved Blackbird selling a 3 per cent stake to US investors. A Canva spokesman could not be reached for comment.

Cameron Adams, Melanie Perkins and Cliff Obrecht founded the company a decade ago. Its design templates, which proliferate across businesses, school projects and social media accounts, are easily identified by their playful fonts and colourful palettes.

One of Australia's biggest success stories, Canva's \$US25.5bn valuation is down 35 per cent from a peak of \$US40bn in September 2021 but Mr Obrecht said last August that its valuation was "solid" compared to other software companies. Canva is expected to list on the US market within the next 18 months.

Cyber attack execs' worst fear

Matt Bell

Cyber threats are more likely to keep Australia's business leaders up at night than any other factor as record levels of immigration ease fears about finding workers.

The "Keeping us up at Night" survey of 319 senior executives at private businesses by professional services firm KPMG Australia revealed leaders are also concerned about regulation and cost control issues as they look to combat a high inflationary environment.

Cyber threats were the main concern for 43 per cent of executives after the corpor-

ate world was rocked by a attacks at DP World, Latitude Financial and Optus in recent years.

"High-profile attacks and outages over the last 12 months have clearly reinforced the importance of cyber in executive minds and boardrooms," KPMG chief executive Andrew Yates said.

"It's a heightened concern, not only the continuing increasing threat and always needing to evolve your own risk management, but also an awareness of the impact of issues when they occur."

Cyber risks were only the fourth top priority in 2023 but recent high-profile cyber at-



KPMG chief executive Andrew Yates

tacks and outages affecting large numbers of people and businesses have seen the issue shift up the business agenda.

KPMG observed that given most executives do not come from a technology or cyber background, there may also be a fear of the unknown compared with challenges which are in their comfort zone.

"(Cyber) has elevated itself in boardrooms and executive

rooms around the country," Mr Yates said. "Every company is investing an incredible lot in cyber."

The report found business leaders were less concerned at finding talent, with just 42 per cent citing it as an issue, compared with 77 per cent who said it was the biggest challenge in 2023 and 69 per cent in 2022. This comes amid the arrival of 500,000 immigrants into Australia.

The third most important issue for the next 12 months (41 per cent) was dealing with regulations, while cost controls in an inflationary environment came joint fourth on 38 per cent.

Australia toppled as global king of LNG

Australia has been toppled as the world's top LNG exporter with the US taking the global crown for the first time amid strong growth from gas buyers in Europe.

US producers exported 91.2 million tonnes of LNG in 2023, marking an all-time high for the country, according to data compiled by Bloomberg.

The move put Australia back into the second largest LNG exporter position with Qatar only slightly behind in third.

Australia and Qatar have been jostling for pole position in recent years while the US

has also started to export more LNG at times, with access to low-cost supplies that can be shipped to buyers in both Europe and Asia.

US LNG production is forecast to grow to 93 million tonnes by 2025, according to Australia's Department of Industry, Science and Resources, and 134 million tonnes by 2028.

Australia, in contrast, will remain steady at 82 million tonnes through much of the decade. Qatar plans to add an extra 42 per cent of capacity taking output to 110 million tonnes a year.

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Billionaire Raphael Geminder. Picture: Stuart McEvoy

Geminder closes in on Pact threshold

Eli Greenblat

Billionaire Raphael Geminder is within striking distance of wrapping up his \$289m takeover for packaging company Pact, but a Christmas sharemarket rally has pushed the share price above his offer.

Mr Geminder's off-market takeover sits just short of the 90 per cent ownership he needs to acquire the remaining shares.

However, the recent sharemarket rally and thin trading volumes over the Christmas and New Year holiday have helped lift the

Pact share price to 86.5c on Wednesday, higher than the 84c price per share offered by Mr Geminder's private company, Bennamou Industries.

Mr Geminder launched his takeover bid for Pact in September, offering just 68c per share and at the time he was sitting on just over 50 per cent of the company.

Later, Pact's independent directors recommended shareholders reject the first bid after an independent expert argued the company was worth between 83c and \$1.24 a share. Mr Geminder later upped his bid to 84c.

The Pact float was the largest IPO in the Australian

market in 2013 and at their peak, the shares were trading at around \$7, to value the company at \$2.4bn.

In its fifth supplementary bidder's statement and variation of takeover bid documents lodged with the ASX on Wednesday, Bennamou offered faster payment terms and reported it was now sitting at 85 per cent ownership. It said once it gets to 90 per cent it will move to compulsorily acquire all shares.

Mr Geminder is also considering delisting Pact even if he falls short of the 90 per cent barrier, although this would require ASX and shareholder approval.

ASX 200 falls off record high as US cracks appear

David Rogers

Australian stocks had their worst day in over three months as cracks appeared on Wall Street after strong gains in the past two months.

A day after hitting an over-two-year high of 7632.7 points, Australia's ASX 200 index dived 104.56 points or 1.4 per cent to close at a five-day low of 7523.2.

It follows a 0.6 per cent fall in the S&P 500 on the New York Stock Exchange overnight on Tuesday amid sharp falls in the "Magnificent Seven" tech giants including Apple, Meta Platforms and NVIDIA.

In percentage terms it was the biggest one-day fall in the ASX 200 since 27 September.

On Tuesday the ASX 200 rose 0.5 per cent to 7627.8 points, just below its record closing high of 7628.9 reached in August 2021.

The local market had soared almost 13 per cent in about nine weeks from October 30 to January 2, tracking a rise in the US market amid expectations of rapid-fire interest rate cuts in the US after a "dovish pivot" by the Fed.



A Wall Street trader

All sectors of the Australian market fell on Wednesday.

Bell Potter head of institutional sales and trading Richard Coppleson said Wednesday's fall "was not really a big deal" in the context of its recent gains.

"The real question is will the drop extend further, and if so, how far before those who have missed it and are long cash 'buy the dips'," he added.

Tech, property, materials and communications sectors fared worse than the benchmark index. Heavyweight iron ore miners, banks, health care and property stocks did most of the damage with BHP down 1.5

per cent to \$49.77, while Fortescue slumped 1.9 per cent to \$28.84 and Rio Tinto was off 1.4 per cent to \$134.72.

Among other blue-chip losers CBA was down 1.3 per cent to \$112.13, CSL off 1.2 per cent to \$284.81, Goodman Group dropped 3.2 per cent to \$24.31 and Macquarie Group down 1.7 per cent to \$181.37.

BHP, CBA, Fortescue and Rio Tinto shares had hit fresh record highs in recent days.

Iron ore miners fell on Wednesday despite a further rise in iron ore prices amid expectations of supply tightness and hopes of policy stimulus from China after a recent speech by President Xi Jinping.

Singapore iron ore futures were up 0.6 per cent at \$US142.65 a tonne after hitting a 21-month high of \$US143.50.

The slump on Australia's share market came after a tech-led sell-off in the US market as Barclays downgraded Apple to an "underweight" rating, citing disappointing iPhone 15 sales, particularly in China.

The tech-heavy Nasdaq index fell 1.6 per cent overnight on Tuesday.

Citi bullish for iron ore in early 2024

Valerina Changarathil

The strong outperformance of iron ore majors last year is likely to run for at least the next six months, with China's steel production at "robust levels and expected to move higher", analysts at Citi say.

While slowing global growth is expected to be a headwind for metals this year, the momentum underpinning China's steel build-up and potential

higher-than-expected earnings is a strong tailwind for the sector. It comes as China's port inventories of iron ore are struggling to recover given ongoing supply-side tightness.

Citi's research head Paul McTaggart said the broker was looking for a reversal in iron ore/metals performance – but not until well into the second half of this year. Consensus estimates for iron ore prices in the first half 2024 looked too

low. "So earnings momentum for the iron ore exposures is expected to remain positive in the first months of CY24," he said.

On Wednesday, iron ore futures on the Singapore exchange were stronger at around \$US142.55 per tonne – close to its 21-month high of \$US143 a tonne a day earlier.

Citi has a sell rating on Fortescue, retained its buy rating on Rio Tinto and left BHP at neutral.

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FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT

KEY INDICES

Index	Close	Change
All Ordinaries	7757.3	110.10
ASX 200	7523.2	104.60
ASX 50	7413.2	92.00

Index	Last	Change
Dow Jones	37,715.04	25.50
Nasdaq	15,011.35	83.79
*Shangh Cmp	2962.28	12.65
Nikkei 225	33,464.17	steady
*Hang Seng	16,642.54	146.01
FTSE100	7721.52	11.72
DAX	16,769.36	17.72

KEY RATES

	Last	Change
90-day deposit	4.42	0.19
180-day deposit	4.57	0.20
3-yr bonds	3.719	0.065
10-yr bonds	4.054	0.038

KEY RESOURCES

SUS	Last	Change
Gold	2058.877	3.713
Silver	236.44	0.116
Nickel*	16.337	38
Aluminium*	2289.67	55.83
Copper*	8440.5	23.42
Oil - Brent	75.97	1.11
Iron Ore	136.37	3.55
Lead*	2025.25	9.25
Tin*	24924	251
Zinc*	2600.5	39.50

KEY CURRENCIES

One Australian dollar buys:		
SUS	0.677	0.006
EUR	0.535	0.001
GBP	0.617	0.002
YEN	96.12	0.05
SHK	5.287	0.046
SNZ	1.079	0.003

WINNERS ASX 200

Cooper Energy	11.54%
SthmCrossM	3.13%
Medibank Prv	1.40%
Smartgrp Corp	1.16%
NIB Holdings	1.08%
Ancor	.85%
QBE Insurance	.68%
PactGroupHold	.58%
Metcash	.57%
Unibail Rodamco	.56%

MOST ACTIVE (value)

BHP Group	212m
CSL	154m
CBA	127m
ANZ Banking	121m
Fortescue	117m

LOSERS ASX 200

6.63%	Healius
5.49%	Resolute
4.88%	St Barbara
4.11%	Mayne Pharma
4.01%	Northern Star
3.75%	Xero
3.74%	Service Stream
3.73%	Emeco Holdings
3.69%	Dominos Pizza
3.65%	Super Retail

MOST ACTIVE (volume)

Telstra	16.56m
South 32	13.52m
PilbaraMin	11.19m
Scentre Group	9.65m
Cooper Energy	8.65m

PEOPLE'S CHOICE

Change (%)	Close
AMP	0.005 .925
ANZ	0.25 25.74
BHP Group	0.77 49.77
CBA	1.48 112.13
IAG	0.03 5.58
Medibank	0.05 3.62
NAB	0.27 30.59
News Corp	0.05 37.77
Qantas	0.03 5.32
QBE	0.10 14.79
Rio Tinto	1.85 134.72
Telstra	0.04 3.93
Westpac	0.21 22.87
Wesfarmers	0.56 56.95
Woolworths	0.06 37.45

SECTOR PERFORMANCE

Retail	-0.10%
Utilities	0.56%
Financials	-1.01%
Health	-1.33%
Telcos	-1.59%
Materials	-1.74%
Resources	-1.77%
IT	-3.02%

Change (%)	Close
AFIC	steady 7.44
Argo	0.02 8.97
ALLI	0.02 10.01
Gjeriwarth	0.03 3.00

ASX TOP 500

Name	Close	Move	Year High	Low	Vol (100s)	Div yield	PE ratio	Mkt cap (\$M)	Week move
29 Metals	61	0.03	232.46	7032	100			431	+0.1
A2 Milk	4.16	0.08	71.4	370	16396		21.73	3007	+1.1
AAC	1.40	0.02	190.114	1646				843	+0.5
AAdvantage	3.17	0.06	365.264	121	100	13.71	509		+0.8
Abacus	1.11	0.05	240.94	5769	12.24	38.12	991		+0.8
AbacusServ	1.07	0.03	141.97	5556			1406		+0.9
Accum	1.91	0.04	262.151	7319	89.97	12.1	1076		+0.2
ADBIL	3.00	0.02	304.152	6338	100	18.99	1950		+0.2
AdrianMet	3.81	0.14	413.271	2804			918		+0.1
AGL	9.65	0.05	1245.673	4300	320		6462	+2.6	
Alkermis	1.29	0.04	133.87	2088	100	44.33	434		+0.2
Alkermis	0.9	0.05	71.57	2855		5.35	2004		+0.1
Alkermis	0.65	0.05	95.53	13558		9.3	395		+0.1
Alpha HPA	0.98	0.04	125.56	7522			919		+0.4
ALS	12.68	0.22	1348.10	52	3625	38.2p	22.51	6130	+0.4
Altian	45.08	0.76	494.341	31.1	2191	116	61.08	5947	+1.35
Alumina	0.92	0.05	173.68	81890	100		2684		+0.1
ANR	0.07	0.004	23.03	11966	100		142		+0.08
Anso	14.28	0.12	1778.1334	23480	524	13.32	9154		+0.3
ANP	0.92	0.05	137.84	77411	533p	14.03	2535		+0.05
Anglo	36.22	0.40	366.9	26.58	3731	54.49	43.91	8631	+1.4
Anso	25.01	0.25	298.3	21.00	773	2.75	14.25	3136	+0.5
ANZ Bank	25.74	0.25	260.8	22.39	47203	67.3p	10.98	77413	+0.3
APA	8.46	0.06	105.8	7.87	12990	65.1	38.21	10853	+2.7
Apex	1.23	0.02	264.108	17502	100	10.76	1132		+0.3
Apex	0.60	0.02	360.56	32069	50		126		+0.2
ARC Corp	34.71	1.25	365.8	25.54	826	17.7	33.33	2853	+0.93
Arrium Ltd	10.87	0.09	11.57	10.5	105	20.822			
60.84									
Anso	3.63	0.06	396.312	2128	463	17.33	1284		+1.1
Anso	8.97	0.02	970.827	1705	38.47	24.9	6804		+0.7
Anso	40.50	0.45	430.9	30.36	8688	15.67	18.4	26065	+0.8
ASX	62.74	0.78	7170.538	2596	35.97	38.76	12146		+0.7
ASX	5.75	0.08	726.264	13233	2392	68.26	8342		+0.2
AUB	27.04	0.36	317.0	22.05	868	23.47	41.93	2931	+2.3
Aurizon	27.04	0.36	317.0	22.05	868	23.47	41.93	2931	+2.3
Aurizon	3.80	0.02	401.322	23122	39.3p	25.47	6994		+0.2
Aurizon	2.93	0.02	387.247	1381	100	16.48	591		+0.7
Aurizon	5.22	0.27	553.251	923	12.87	93.21	588		+1.5
Aurizon	1.59	0.05	187.127	1899	67.17	11.56	430		+0.2
Aurizon	7.44	0.07	775.653	2070	33.67	20.99	9274		+0.4
Aurizon	3.79	0.07	429.254	6161	42.23	1056		+0.8	
Aurizon	2.00	0.07	284.158	5425	3.38	724		+0.9	
Aurizon	10.01	0.02	1041.930	317	36.97	22.44	1266		+0.2
Aurizon	2.33	0.01	263.193	248	100	7.19	488		+0.1
Aurizon	3.95	0.18	627.188	1533	238		297		+0.2
Aurizon	3.70	0.07	437.22	7261	1697		22		+0.2
Bank	6.03	0.06	736.507	11274	67.37	33.28	3977		+0.1
Bank	2.81	0.09	305.119	2972	428		0.3		+0.1
Bank	5.23	0.15	709.511	24553	40.97	17.16	1775		+3.2
Bank	1.60	0.02	172.128	26634	24.49	9.24	3661		+0.1
Bank	2.39	0.01	247.136	73	21.47	15.88	50		+0.4
Bank	3.42	0.09	408.243	5371	21.48	1041		+0.9	
Bank	1.54	0.11	184.58	45671	1775		1.4		+0.2
Bank	1.33	0.03	137.82	2213	54.97	15.87	426		+0.2
Bank	9.59	0.11	1020.824	9935	62.97	11.04	5444		+0.1
Bank	49.77	0.77	508.4	46.66	42571	51.77	13.13	25271	+4.9
Bank	1.79	0.01	190.166	827	43.37	19.04	1441		+0.1
Bank	10.611	0.767	12340.60	56	1932	37.24	-6.9		+0.1
Bank	23.17	0.37	2360.16	52	6933	21.27	10.83	10331	+2.1
Bank	2.78	0.03	279.110	92	14.9	822		+0.3	
Bank	5.37	0.03	544.284	5688	40.3	5923		+0.5	
Bank	4.23	0.03	498.201	18508	119.66	1712		+0.5	
Bank	13.68	0.02	152.6	11.39	26079	28.9p	17.06	19306	+2.6
Bank	0.83	0.05	92.29	389	374		0.3		+0.3
Bank	26.30	0.67	274.1	18.12	1319	31.77	34.94	3772	+4.8
Bank	27.36	0.44	284.9	21.58	624	23.47	10.72	4170	+3.5
Bank	4.50	0.05	508.420	101	12.6	1002		+0.6	
Bank	5.45	0.05	601.452	101	5.32	2546		+0.6	
Bank	3.41	0.05	405.324	5427	52.9	60.6	2190		+1.8
Bank	3.24	0.15	605.241	1532	587		2.1		+0.2
Bank	4.49	0.16	522.358	5614	394.07	1694		+2.8	
Bank	30.69	0.72	318.2	10.70	6634	19.47	12.32	11570	+2.0
Bank	30.30	0.60	320.5	26.75	23	20.27	21.02	802	+3.2
Bank	2.2	0.05	23.11	47222	404		+0.05		
Bank	11.213	1.48	1136.93	93.05	11292	39.97	10.82	18778	+9.4
Bank	4.99	0.01	566.417	174	40.27	12.94	41		+1.3
Bank	3.18	0.05	360.778	9110	495	2019		+1.1	
Bank	1.65	0.08	204.113	667	62.67	13.08	1332		+1.2
Bank	1.31	0.03	177.105	3514	974	782		+0.5	
Bank	3.49	0.08	427.303	6859	703	54.92	2028		+2.3
Bank	1.52	0.16	81.9	13.9	49138	591		+1.9	
Bank	6.39	0.14	783.567	7674	36.87	15.55	4414		+0.4
Bank	8.49	0.15	864.516	18856	260	18.48	4399		+4.1
Bank	11.53	0.28	1537.863	19234	37.1p	28.46	5453		+5.2
Bank	2.91	0.06	355.238	4402	50.9	18.56	1078		+1.1
Bank	7.30	0.07	820.645	2343	458	141.75	3167		+1.8
Bank	8.40	0.07	837.294	630	1851.11	662		+3.3	
Bank	3.63	0.07	477.298	13462	784	2624		+1.7	
Bank	2.02	0.09	217.67	8749	529		+1.2		
Bank	2.64	0.05	283.222	35773	182	269	5883		+0.4
Bank	50	0.01	62.44	407	51.77	21.72	390		+0.05
Bank	15.92	0.34	287.2	13.97	768	31.7	26.27	798	+4.8
Bank	1.70	0.05	193.109	459	70	98.31	709		+0.4
Bank	29.792	10.2	3030.00	20.21	695	11.05	65.85	19512	+1.71
Bank	8.24	0.19	912.392	1944	21.97	22.48	1494		+3.2
Bank	16.21	0.05	188.5	14.82	14962	37.1p	19.64	21695	+2.2
Bank	11.92	0.07	1225.702	2743	22.97	26.99	1401		+0.4
Bank	24.26	0.17	2666.207	8014	287	21.19	14587		+1.5
Bank	7.35	0.22	800.660	36	418	50.53	1871		+0.1
Bank	1.4	0.01	20.09	86581	382		+0.2		
Bank	36	0.05	127.22	106611	45.76	966		+0.2	
Bank	1.70	0.07	225.129	12965	100		2849		+0.4
Bank	19.28	0.46	2190.148	2320	142	37.18	2821		+1.4
Bank	3.13	0.01	339.224	11066	28.7p	67.82	1454		+0.2
Bank	15.84	0.39	2480.114	1044	43.17	12.09	1078		+3.5
Bank	2.75	0.17	372.122	22416	69.69		1048		+2.2
Bank	41	0.05	76.31	23196	10.43		1073		+0.1
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Available in store only.



COMFORT & STYLE

\$3699

'Monte' 5-Seater Fabric Modular Sofa.
Featured in 'Boston' Terracotta fabric. Available in a selection of fabric options.

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CHAIRS

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HOT BUY

\$899

'Moon' 5-Piece Round Dining Suite.
Suite consists of a dining table with glass tabletop and metal base (W120 x D120 x H75cm) and four fabric swivel dining chairs.
Also available to order:
3-Piece 80cm Bar Setting **\$779**
7-Piece 160cm Rectangular Dining Suite **\$1399**

Available in store & online.



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SUPER DEAL

\$1299

'Cody' 7-Piece Rectangular Extension Dining Suite.
Suite consists of a timber extension dining table (W150-190 x D90 x H75cm) and six padded timber dining chairs. Dining table and chairs available in Natural stain (as pictured) or Black.
Also available to order: 5-Piece 106cm Round Dropside Dining Suite **\$879** | 5-Piece 140cm Rectangular Dining Suite **\$879**
140cm 2-Door/3-Drawer Buffet **\$879**

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HIGH BACK SUPPORT

\$1499

'Loafer' 3-Seater Fabric Recliner Sofa.
Featured in 'Brahma' Jet fabric.
Also available in 'Brahma' Graphite fabric.
Also available to order:
2-Seater Fabric Recliner Sofa **\$1199**
Fabric Recliner Armchair **\$749**

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SUITE INCLUDES 4
RECLINER ACTIONS

AMAZING VALUE

\$1799

**'Jupiter' 3-Seater Fabric Recliner Sofa +
2 Fabric Recliner Armchairs.**
Featured in 'Apollo' Dark Grey fabric.
Includes 4 recliner actions.

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\$2599

'Bradford' 3-Seater Fabric Powered Recliner Sofa.
Featured in 'Hunter' Match Grey fabric.
Also available in 'Hunter' Charcoal fabric.
Also available to order:
2-Seater Fabric Powered Recliner Sofa **\$2399**
Fabric Powered Recliner Armchair **\$1399**

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POWERED RECLINERS

\$2999

'Gamma' Fabric Powered Modular Recliner Sofa.
Featured in Mushroom fabric. Also available in Silver or Charcoal
fabric options. Includes 3 powered recliners and a storage console
with cup holders.

Available in store only.

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HOT PRICE

\$1499

'Cobar' 7-Piece Rectangular Dining Suite.
Suite consists of a timber dining table (W180 x D100 x H77cm)
and six timber dining chairs.
Also available to order:
9-Piece 210cm Rectangular Dining Suite **\$2199**
155cm 2-Door/3-Drawer Buffet **\$959**

Available in store & online.



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HOT DEAL

\$1899

'Clifton' 7-Piece Rectangular Dining Suite.
Suite consists of an Acacia timber dining table (W165 x D90 x
H77cm) with a brushed White finish and six padded timber
dining chairs in Grey fabric.
Also available to order:
165cm Rectangular Dining Table **\$699** | Dining Chair **\$279ea**
160cm 3-Door Buffet **\$1099**

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LUXURY LEATHER

\$1999

Available in store & online.

'Florence' 3-Seater Leather Sofa.
Featured in 'Luxury' Caramel leather.
Available in a selection of leather options.
Also available to order:
2-Seater Leather Sofa \$1799 | Leather Armchair \$1199
Leather Ottoman \$599



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AMAZING VALUE

\$1999

Available in store & online.

'Elise' 3-Seater Leather Sofa + 2-Seater Leather Sofa.
Featured in Wheat leather.
Also available in Blue or Black leather options.



COMFORT & STYLE

\$2999

Available in store & online.

'Reims' 2.5-Seater Leather Sofa.
Featured in Frost leather.
Also available in Grey leather.
Also available to order:
2-Seater Leather Sofa \$2499



LEATHER
HEADROLL
\$2499EA

LUXURIOUS LIVING

\$3699

Available in store only.

'Dylan' 3-Seater Leather Sofa with Chaise.
Featured in stunning 'Villa' Terracotta leather.
Available in a selection of 'Villa' leather colours.

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HOT BUY

\$1799

Available in store & online.

'Hampshire' 7-Piece Round Extension Dining Suite.
Suite consists of a timber extension dining table (W120-165 x D120 x H75cm) and six timber dining chairs in Cross-Back (as pictured) or Traditional style. Available in Two Tone Grey (as pictured) or Traditional Two Tone Honey/Beige.
Also available to order: 120-165cm Oval Extension Dining Table \$959 | Timber Dining Chair \$219ea
152cm 2-Door 1-Drawer Buffet \$1199



CHROME LINES
ACCENT STRIP

HOT PRICE

\$1999

Available in store & online.

'Bolero' 7-Piece Rectangular Dining Suite.
Suite consists of a Black Gloss dining table with tempered glass tabletop (W210 x D100 x H76) and six Black PU dining chairs.
Also available to order:
9-Piece 210cm Rectangular Dining Suite \$2299
160cm 2-Door/3-Drawer Buffet \$1259

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POWERED RECLINERS
\$2499

'Essen' 2.5-Seater Leather Powered Recliner Sofa.
Featured in Ochre leather.
Also available in Black and Light Grey leather options.
Also available to order:
2-Seater Leather Powered Recliner Sofa **\$2199**

Available in store & online.



GREAT VALUE
\$2499

'Carson' 3-Seater Leather Powered Recliner Sofa.
Featured in Shale Grey leather.
Also available in Light Grey leather.
Also available to order:
2-Seater Leather Powered Recliner Sofa **\$2299**
Leather Powered Recliner Armchair **\$1499**

Available in store & online.



CONTEMPORARY STYLE
\$2999

'Tivoli' 3-Seater Leather Powered Recliner Sofa.
Featured in 'Tuscany' Pearl Grey leather.
Also available to order:
2-Seater Leather Powered Recliner Sofa **\$2699**
Leather Powered Recliner Armchair **\$1699**
Leather Ottoman **\$699**

Available in store & online.



POWERED HEADRESTS
\$4999

'Kobe' 2.5-Seater Leather Powered Recliner Sofa with Chaise.
Featured in 'Villa' Virch leather.
Available in a selection of size and leather options.
Also available to order:
2-Seater Leather Powered Recliner Sofa **\$3199**

Available in store only.

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SUPER DEAL
\$2299

'Adven' 9-Piece Rectangular Dining Suite.
Suite consists of a dining table with solid South American Ash Timber tabletop and black timber legs (W210 x D100 x H76.5cm) and eight 'Civic' PU dining chairs. Chairs available in Black PU (as pictured) or Grey Fabric.
Also available to order:
7-Piece 180cm Rectangular Dining Suite **\$1999**
160cm 2-Door/5-Drawer Buffet **\$1599**

Available in store & online.



HOT DEAL
\$2499

'Aurora MK2' 7-Piece Rectangular Dining Suite.
Suite consists of a dining table with marble tabletop in Opal Grey film and black metal base (W210 x D105 x H76cm), and six Dining Chairs available in Pearl or Graphite PU with Dark Charcoal PU piping.
Also available to order:
210cm Rectangular Dining Table **\$1699**
PU Dining Chair **\$229ea** | 180cm 2-Door/3-Drawer Buffet **\$1999**

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6 AUTO MASSAGE PROGRAMMES

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'Juno' Massage Chair.

- 6 auto massage programmes
- Zero wall proximity to minimise space
- 2D intelligent massage adjusts to match your body size
- 113cm long SL contour massage rail, from shoulder to thigh
- 3 switchable shoulder widths
- Remote control operation
- Sole roller for 3 roller foot massage
- 8 airbags for upper and lower arm massage
- 12 airbags for calf and ankle massage

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**ZERO GRAVITY RECLINE POSITION
FOR MAXIMISED COMFORT**



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'Rocco' Massage Chair.

- Zero gravity recline position for maximum comfort
- Infrared heating provides luxurious warmth and sublime comfort
- Auto shoulder detection
- 28 airbags around the shoulders, arms, calves and feet help relieve pressure in key areas
- 135cm long SL contour massage rail
- Manual or 6 auto massage programmes
- Integrated Bluetooth™ audio speakers and USB port
- Speed-adjustable foot rollers
- Armrest quick buttons and full remote control

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**ZERO GRAVITY RECLINE POSITION
FOR MAXIMISED COMFORT**



RECLINER CHAIRS



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\$478

'Lusso' Fabric Swivel Recliner & Footstool.

Available in fabric or PU.



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\$999

'Kirra' Fabric Swivel Recliner with Built-In Footstool.

Available in 'Nero' or 'Graphite' fabric options.



AVAILABLE
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DELIVERY*

\$1299

'Whitehaven' Fabric Powered Recliner Armchair.

Available in 'Ash' or 'Jet' fabric options.



AVAILABLE
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DELIVERY*

\$1999

'Sven' Leather Swivel Recliner with Built-In Footstool.

Available in 'Silver' or 'Black' leather options.

LIFT CHAIRS



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\$799

'Longreef' Fabric Lift Chair.

Available in 'Mink' or 'Beige' fabric options.



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\$1399

'Bitola' Leather Lift Chair.

Available in 'Taupe' or 'Grey' leather options.



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DELIVERY*

\$1999

'Solace' Fabric Dual Motor Lift Chair.

Available in 'Dove' or 'Moss' fabric options.



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\$2599

'Sadler' Fabric Triple Motor Lift Chair with Massage.

Available in 'Grey' or 'Granite' fabric options.
Also available: Leather Triple Motor Lift Chair with Massage \$2899

TABFORM

Muswellbrook races today

TAB CODE: SR
on SKY1, SKY Thoroughbred Central



THE FILES

- Daily Double:** Races 5 and 7
Early Quaddie: 1, 2, 3, 4
Treble: 5, 6, 7
Quaddie: 4, 5, 6, 7
Big6: 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7

LEGEND

t won at track, c won this distance at the track, d won this distance another track, w won in wet, b beaten favourite, e not in first nine, s split at least three months, h home track, p pulled up, l lost rider, n won at night, (B) eligible for BOBS bonus.

RACE 1 Team Thoroughbred NSW 1280m 1.50

Maiden. Prizemoney: \$30,000, 1st \$15,000, 2nd \$5100, 3rd \$2800, 4th \$1475, 5th \$975. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	EQ
1	DYSART	11	B F Cavanough	M Bell	59	\$8.00
2	MAD HARRY	8	B F Cavanough	C Viller (a2)	59	12.00
3	TAKEMINE	10	B F Cavanough	A Bullock	58	3.60
4	ZIPPO IDEA	6	R P Northam	R Jones	57	*1.85
5	ALL TOO ROSEY	2	A P Ball	Ms M Fitzgerald (a2)	56.5	16.00
6	BIGGETT EMBESTH	3	N F Boland	K Jennings	56.5	151.00
7	JODY GIRL	9	Ms J Bowen	G Buckley	56.5	12.00
8	JUST BREATHE	7	Sally Torrens	B Nock (a15)	56.5	18.00
9	LADY IN MAY	1	T E Ollerton	Ms C Hillier (a15)	56.5	151.00
10	LADY OF ABUNDANCE	5	P M Farrell	D McLellan	56.5	31.00
11	HAITH O'H	4	N F Boland	L Magorrian	56.5	151.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 3. Takemine began awkwardly SCO Dec 19. 4. Zippo Idea keen, hung out middle stages SCO Dec 19. 7. Jody Girl shifted out at start. Bumped rival, hung out early, middle stages TAM Dec 12. 8. Just Breathe overexerted early, middle stages COO Dec 17. 11. Lee Haith O'H checked near 1200m SCO Dec 19.

RACE 2 TAB Handicap 1750m 2.25

Class 2. Prizemoney: \$27,000, 1st \$13,950, 2nd \$5050, 3rd \$2600, 4th \$1300, 5th \$825. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	EQ
1	JAMROCK	9	Mick Attard	J Van Overmeire	59.5	9.50
2	CRIME SPREE	4	B F Cavanough	B Nock (a15)	58.5	10.00
3	ROLLED GOLD	6	Paul Clisby	A Bullock	57	10.00
4	BLISS	3	Brett Robb	C Gallagher	56.5	5.00
5	PERFECTION MAN	2	Andrew Macdonald	Ms M Weir	56	21.00
6	ODDLES	12	S Singleton	B Gray	55.5	17.00
7	OPUS	1	Ms K Buchanan	L Magorrian	55	*2.15
8	NOTHING SACRED (NZ)	11	Ben Blay	R Jones	55	17.00
9	BIG TIME CHARLIE	7	Luke Pepper	M Bell	55	10.00
10	NEWFANGLED JILL	5	J R Gask	Ms M Donoghue (a3)	55	71.00
11	KYANITE	10	Ms C Murnane	J Pracey-Holmes	55	34.00
12	CURRENCY QUEEN	8	R E Ollerton		55	81.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 4. Bliss keen COO Dec 17. 5. Perfection Man blundered near 500m KEM Dec 18. 8. Nothing's Sacred keen, eased near 1400m TAE Nov 27.

GEAR CHANGES

RACE 1: (1) Dysart blinkers on first time, gelded; (2) Mad Harry gelded; (6) Big better best blinkers off first time, lugging bit on again, tongue-control and lugging bit off first time, winkers on first time; (10) Lady Of Abundance blinkers off first time, tongue-control bit on first time, tongue-tie off first time.

RACE 2: (2) Crime Spree tongue-tie on first time; (5) Perfection Man blinkers off first time; (8) Nothing's Sacred blinkers off again, nose roll off first time; (9) Big Time Charlie off-side bubble cheek on first time, winkers on first time.

RACE 3: (1) Osterberg cross-over noseband on first time, tongue-tie on first time; (5) Kiss Sing Supido winkers off again; (6) Stenson Wallman tongue-tie on first time.

RACE 4: (1) Maximum Ride pre-race ear muffs on first time, gelded, lugging bit on first time; (2) The Ted Star gelded; (4) Rocket The Wrecker bit lifted off first time, tongue-tie on first time; (8) Gumagawax nose roll off first time, winkers off first time; (11) Nikki Rodas blinkers on first time; (14) Miscavolini pre-race ear muffs on first time; (18) Alf's Rose tongue-control bit on first time.

RACE 5: (8) Aarkus blinkers off first time; (9) Fact Finder blinkers off first time.

RACE 6: (5) Hot Bandit norton bit on first time; (11) Deebo winkers on first time.

RACE 7: (5) Sir Limestar blinkers on first time, gelded; (6) Son O' War blinkers on first time, gelded; (7) Dunaloe blinkers on again, tongue-tie on again; (9) Lovely Thoughts blinkers on first time, winkers off first time; (13) Real Loose blinkers on first time; (16) President Victory cross-over noseband off first time; (19) Twenty Four Guns blinkers on first time, winkers off first time; (20) Think n' Lucky compression hood with ear muffs on first time, pre-race ear muffs off first time.

TRACK DATA

CIRCUMFERENCE: 2070m. STRAIGHT: 400m. DIRECTION: Clockwise.
 LEADING JOCKEY (with rides today): A Bullock (28 wins past 12 mths).
 LEADING TRAINER (with runners today): P M Perry (8 wins past 12 mths).
 FAVS RECORD (past 3 yrs): 38.05% Win 30.16% place. BEST BARRIER (past 3 yrs): 1000m (4) 23 wins. TRAINER CHANGES: R1 (10) was trained by Stirling Osland now P M Farrell. R1 (8) was trained by Joseph Craig now Sally Torrens. R3 (14) was trained by Glenn Richardson now W T Wilkes. R3 (13) was trained by R C Robb now Cassandra Stummer. R3 (10) was trained by S I Singleton now Ms K Waugh. R4 (13) was trained by J A O'Shea now Mick Attard.

RACE 3 Horsepower - Heat Of The Rising Star 1000m 3.05

Class 2. Prizemoney: \$27,000, 1st \$13,950, 2nd \$5050, 3rd \$2600, 4th \$1300, 5th \$825. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	EQ
1	OSTERBERG	13	K A Lees	SCRATCHED	61	—
2	RAKOMELO	3	Mick Attard	B Nock (a15)	61	9.00
3	WHO GOES THERE	8	M K Mason	C Viller (a2)	61	7.00
4	ELEGANT EMPRESS	9	Amabel Neasham	Ms R Bront Pragg (a)	59.5	*4.40
5	KISSING SUPIDO	15	T J Bartley	Ms C Hillier (a15)	59.5	8.50
6	STENSON WALLMAN	4	Ms K Buchanan	M Stapleford (a3)	59.5	6.00
7	CROP DUSTER	6	J R Gask	Ms S McDonough (a3)	58	19.00
8	HIE'S PURRING	2	D Lane	Ms A Roper (a)	58	23.00
9	NAVY BLOOD	12	R & W Freedman	Z Wadick (a)	58	*4.40
10	HARD TO DISMISS	11	Ms K Waugh	Jett Stanley (a)	57.5	9.50
11	LINE OF LAW	17	Bjom Baker	SCRATCHED	56.5	—
12	ZOE SHARK	10	P M Perry	Ms C Houlgate (a2)	56.5	13.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 1. Osterberg began awkwardly HAW Dec 10. 7. Crop Duster blundered at start SCO Sep 22. 11. Line Of Law shifted out at start. QEN Dec 20. 12. Zoe Shark rider told to use more vigour GOS Dec 08. 18. Silica Sand taken back from wide barrier, keen, checked near 200m MUS Oct 02.

RACE 4 Pirtek Muswellbrook Handicap 900m 3.40

Maiden. Prizemoney: \$27,000, 1st \$13,950, 2nd \$5050, 3rd \$2600, 4th \$1300, 5th \$825. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	EQ
1	MAXIMUM RIDE	1	D Lane	A Bullock	59	34.00
2	THE TED STAR	14	Tanya Randall	D Gibbons (a)	59	34.00
3	SUPER STORY	5	S I Singleton	M Stapleford (a3)	58	5.50
4	ROCKET THE WRECKER	17	L K Roberts	J Pracey-Holmes	57.5	51.00
5	RELATED DUTY	11	T Wong	H Van Der Hoven	57	71.00
6	CATCHY TUNES	8	G McFarlane	R Jones	56.5	11.00
7	QUEEN MAXIMA	15	Matthew Smith	A Morgan	56	7.50
8	GUMAGAWAX	6	PH Bloomfield	D Northey	55.5	34.00
9	JOISELLE	16	B F Cavanough	M Bell	55.5	*2.60
10	MAGNUCAT	9	Bjom Baker	R Downey	55.5	4.00
11	NIKKI RODAS	4	Mick Attard	J Van Overmeire	55.5	34.00
12	AWESOME ICON	2	T & P Vigouroux	Ms A Roper (a)	55	51.00
13	INFINITE ROSE	13	Mick Attard		55	19.00
14	MISCALVOLI	7	Bjom Baker	B Nock (a15)	55	17.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 6. Catchy Tunes raced wide without cover GOS Dec 21. 7. Queen Maxima wide throughout GOU Dec 15. 12. Awesome Icon raced green, checked near 600m HAW Sep 07. 15. Uncle Alf keen, lame 2/5 GOS Feb 18. 16. Seriffie held up concluding stages. Not fully tested NAM Oct 21. 18. Alf's Rose reared at start, lost ground, keen TAM Dec 12.

RACE 5 TAB Handicap 1500m 4.20

Benchmark 66. Prizemoney: \$10,000, 1st \$5,000, 2nd \$3300, 3rd \$2800, 4th \$1475, 5th \$975. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	EQ
1	AESTHETE (GB)	6	Cody Morgan	A Bullock	58.5	9.00
2	ZOFFANY'S GAZE	12	M K Mason	K Jennings	58.5	14.00
3	BURANER BUOY	1	T S Howlett	R Downey	58	10.00
4	MANGOLLA	11	Cody Morgan	B Nock (a15)	58	14.00
5	MUSICAL AFFAIR	3	M D Griffith	C Gallagher	58	6.00
6	SEETHING SEB	4	Ms K Owen		57.5	18.00
7	CAPITAL GAMBLE	7	S C Jones	D McLellan	56.5	11.00
8	AARKUS	8	C K Martin	G Buckley	56	26.00
9	FACT FINDER	2	Ms C Crockett	Ms C Hillier (a15)	56	61.00
10	PROUD WITH PRIDE	9	B F Cavanough	M Bell	55.5	14.00
11	TAPAKICK	5	P Mesara & L Gavanich	A Morgan	55.5	*2.30
12	AMCONVINCING	10	S I Singleton	M Stapleford (a3)	55	15.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 4. Mangoola stewards queried run, failed to respond to riding. One paced TAM Dec 12. 5. Musical Affair laid in near 800m, eased near 500m COO Dec 17. 7. Capital Gamble checked near 1000m TAM Dec 12. 9. Fact Finder raced wide without cover WAN Nov 12. 10. Proud With Pride keen SCO Dec 19.

OTHER TAB MEETINGS TODAY

Gallops: San Isidro (ARG), Otaki (NZ), Kawasaki, Turfmontein (SAF), Pau (FRA), Lingfield (UK), Al Ain, Herford, Marseille Vivaux (FRA), Newcastle

Harness: Otaki (NZ), Western Fair, Northfield Park (USA), Roxburgh (NZ), Redcliffe, Ballarat, Bollnas (SWE), Foggia, Vincennes (FRA)

Greyhounds: armouth (UK), Romford, Addington (NZ), Shepparton, Mount Gambier, Ipswich, Cambridge (NZ), Warragul, Gunnedah, Warrambool, Sandown Park, Angle Park, Albion Park, Hobart, Sheffield, Nottingham (UK), Mandurah, Crayford, Perry Barr, Kinsley

Shayne O'Casey Mitch Cohen Adam Sherry

1	10DYSART 4 Zippo Idea 2 Mad Harry 3 Takemine	4 ZIPPO IDEA 3 Takemine 2 Mad Harry 7 Jody Girl	4 ZIPPO IDEA 3 Takemine 1 Dysart 2 Mad Harry
2	7xxOPUS 9 Big Time Charlie 2 Crime Spree 3 Rolled Gold	7 OPUS 4 Bliss 6 Oodles 1 Jamrock	7 OPUS 1 Jamrock 4 Bliss 3 Rolled Gold
3	9 NAVY BLOOD 3 Who Goes There 7 Crop Duster 10 Hard To Dismiss	3 WHO GOES THERE 4 Elegant Empress 9 Navy Blood 6 Stenson Wallman	2 x RAKOMELO 6 Stenson Wallman 4 Elegant Empress 3 Who Goes There
4	9 JOISELLE 7 Queen Maxima 3 Super Story 14 Miscavolini	10 xx MAGNUCAT 9 Joisele 3 Super Story 1 Maximum Ride	9 JOISELLE 3 Super Story 10 Magnucat 7 Queen Maxima
5	11 TAPA KICK 7 Capital Gamble 220 Fany's Gaze 3 Buraneer Buoy	7 x CAPITAL GAMBLE 11 Tapa Kick 121 Am Convincing 3 Buraneer Buoy	11 xx TAPA KICK 5 Musical Affair 4 Mangoola 3 Buraneer Buoy
6	5xHOT BANDIT 2 Ferro Vero 14 Irish Kin 11 Deebo	2 FERRO VERO 5 Hot Bandit 9 Edge Of Midnight 7 Stock The Rose	2 xx FERRO VERO 4 Always In 1 Gardenzio 7 Stock The Rose
7	12xxxIMAGE OF THE SUN 18 Spial Architect 11 Frenchburg 14 Up And Comer	12xxxIMAGE OF THE SUN 1 Medinah 2 Sovereign Dane 13 Real Loose	12 IMAGE OF THE SUN 2 Sovereign Dane 1 Medinah 7 Dunaloe

RACE 6 Magic Millions Gold Coast Sale 9-16 Jan 1280m 4.55

Class 1. Prizemoney: \$27,000, 1st \$13,950, 2nd \$5050, 3rd \$2600, 4th \$1300, 5th \$825. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	EQ
1	GARDENZIO	13	Ms K Buchanan	K Jennings	61.5	9.00
2	FERRO VERO	10	P Mesara & L Gavanich	A Bullock	59	*2.40
3	LONG MEMORY (NZ)	12	R & W Freedman		59	13.00
4	ALWAYS IN W	14	Ms K Waugh	J Van Overmeire	58.5	6.00
5	HOT BANDIT	5	Luke Pepper	M Bell	57.5	6.50
6	SELFIE TIME (NZ)	11	M D Griffith	A Morgan	57.5	71.00
7	STOCK THE ROSE (NZ)	2	C K Martin	A Gibbons	57.5	12.00
8	LORD FINLAND	7	Luke Pepper	Ms A Roper (a)	57	26.00
9	EDGE OF MIDNIGHT	3	P M Perry	R Jones	56.5	8.50
10	MARYLAND BRIDGE	4	Paul Clisby	C Gallagher	56.5	26.00
11	DEEBO	1	M K Mason	G Buckley	56	19.00
12	GOLD SMILES	8	Sally Torrens		56	51.00
13	FINISH PARTNER	9	Ms C Murnane	J Pracey-Holmes	55	151.00
14	IRISH KIN	6	S J Gleeson	D McLellan	55	101.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 2. Ferro Vero raced wide without cover RAN Dec 09. 3. Long Memory struck interference near 1000m, lame VS KEG Dec 09. 5. Hot Bandit keen SCO Dec 19. 9. Edge Of Midnight raced wide without cover, hung out on straightening TAE Nov 27. 10. Maryland Bridge keen COO Dec 17. 14. Irish Kin eased near 1000m KEM Dec 18.

RACE 7 Hunter Thoroughbred Breeders Assoc. Pk 1500m 5.35

Maiden SW. Prizemoney: \$27,000, 1st \$13,950, 2nd \$5050, 3rd \$2600, 4th \$1300, 5th \$825. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	EQ
1	MEINAH	11	M D Griffith	A Bullock	59	5.00
2	SOVEREIGN DANE (NZ)	7	Nathan Doyle	A Morgan	59	*3.90
3	BLENDED TREE	19	Amabel Neasham	SCRATCHED	57.5	—
4	MORE STARDOM	12	Sam Kavanagh	J Van Overmeire	57.5	151.00
5	SIR LIMESTAR	4	T Wong	SL Snry	57.5	71.00
6	SONO WAR (NZ)	15	C Maher & D Eustace	A Gibbons	57.5	71.00
7	DUNALOCE	6	Nathan Doyle	K Jennings	57	8.50
8	LADYBRULEE	3	Jake Hull	M Bell	57	12.00
9	LOVELY THOUGHTS (NZ)	20	J C Deamer		57	26.00
10	OAKFIELD ZEN A	17	D Lane		57	13.00
11	FRENCHBURG	18	T & P Vigouroux	C Gallagher	55.5	19.00
12	IMAGE OF THE SUN	8	P Mesara & L Gavanich	G Buckley	55.5	5.50
13	REAL LOOSE (NZ)	5	C Maher & D Eustace	D Ieneran	55.5	34.00
14	UP AND COMER	1	Amabel Neasham	H Van Der Hoven	55.5	10.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 3. Blend Of Tree began awkwardly BAT Dec 18. 11. Frenchburg keen BAT Dec 18. 12. Image Of The Sun began awkwardly SCO Dec 19. 14. Up And Comer inconvenienced near 200m, became unbalanced ORA Dec 11. 15. President Victory carried wide near 300m BAT Nov 18. 17. Mission Mummebar laid out near 150m COO Dec 12.

Note: Greyhound meetings can be found in Daily Telegraph sport

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MUSWELLBROOK FORM

RACE 1

Maiden

1.50 (1280m)

1. DYSART (11) 59

b G 3 Smart Missile — Holley Shiftwell (BF Cavanough)
\$0 — — — — —

LAST IS STARTS:

5th, 05Jun23 4.7L Beaumont 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (A Bullock 5) 7, Catch Weight, 0.4676 (600m 0.33.00), Soft (5), Wild Flash 1, Dze 2, Lunatic 3, Life Of Stone 4.

2nd, 22Jun23 1.3L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Ashley Morgan 2) 4, Catch Weight, 1.0121, Good (4), Golf Of Gabes 1, Ridgeland Road 3, Seeburg 4.

WON, 30Nov23 3H/2nd, 1.3L Newcastle 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (A Bullock 1) 8, Catch Weight, 0.50.23 (600m 0.34.47), Good (4), Classic Two 2, Let's Go Johnny 3, Beesmadefromwater 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 0.8L, 1.3L Wyong Barrier Trial 1000m (Braith Nock 2) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.92 (600m 0.34.56), Good (4), Stanczyk 1, Sir Tom 3, Mornington Pier 4.

Trials: (41-2-0). Indicated ability winning a trial after 2-0 to markets.

2. MAD HARRY (8) 59

b G 3 Harry Angel (IRE) — Von Krum (BF Cavanough)
\$0 — — — — —

LAST IS STARTS:

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

3. TAKEMINE (10) 58

b M 4 Helbert — Lubiton (BF Cavanough)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$1475 1 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

4. ZIPPOIDEA (6) 57

b F 3 More Than Ready (USA) — Bewildering (P Northam)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$5200 2 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

5. ALL TOO ROSEY (2) 56.5

ch M 4 All Too Hard — Love A Rose (A P Bail)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$14150 12 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

6. BIGBETTERBEST (3) 56.5

b G 5 Golden Archer — Lillythelvalley (N F Boland)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$11,950 25 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

7. JODY GIRL (9) 56.5

b M 5 Sideslip — Judem (Ms J Bowen)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$5,050 7 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

4TH, 18Sep23 2.2L Colts Harbour Benchmark 58 2005m 55.5 including 0.5 over (A Gibbons 12) 12, Lim 55, 2.06.43 (Last 600m 0.39.53), Good (3), Our Girl Eve 55.1, Yebat 53.5 2, Diamonds&Rumps 55.3, Big \$6.50, \$7.00 9th setting, 9th to 1200m, 9th to 800m, 7th to turn.

5TH, 05Oct23 3.8L Gosford 3yo+ Mdn 1900m 57 (A Gibbons 3) 10, Set Weights, 2.01.35 (Last 600m 0.35.67), Soft (5), Materaro 55.5 1, Aethelred 55.2, Counter 59.3, Muckabout 59.4, Big \$26.00, \$51.00 6th setting, 6th to 1200m, 7th to 800m, 5th to turn. Began awkwardly.
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Resuming. Good gate. Back to country level. Major player.

6. BIGBETTERBEST (3) 56.5

b G 5 Golden Archer — Lillythelvalley (N F Boland)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$11,950 25 — — — —

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3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

2. MAD HARRY (8) 59
b G 3 Harry Angel (IRE) — Von Krum (BF Cavanough)
\$0 — — — — —

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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

3. TAKEMINE (10) 58
b M 4 Helbert — Lubiton (BF Cavanough)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$1475 1 — — — —

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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

4. ZIPPOIDEA (6) 57
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P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

5. ALL TOO ROSEY (2) 56.5
ch M 4 All Too Hard — Love A Rose (A P Bail)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$14150 12 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

6. BIGBETTERBEST (3) 56.5
b G 5 Golden Archer — Lillythelvalley (N F Boland)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$11,950 25 — — — —

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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

7. JODY GIRL (9) 56.5
b M 5 Sideslip — Judem (Ms J Bowen)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$5,050 7 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

5TH, 17Dec23 3.8L Coonamble Mdn 1200m 57 (Ms W Peel 5) 7, Set Weights, 1.10.30, Good (3), Golsa Go 55.5.1, Sebila 54.2, Ms Bull 57.3, Rushin Bubbles 57.4, Big \$4.00, \$31.00 6th setting, 6th to 800m, last to turn. Overstated early, middle stages.

Previously trained by Joseph Craig. Wasn't all that far away at Coonamble first-up. 1.5kg claimer engaged. Will only be fitter. Among the dangers.

9. LADY IN MAY (1) 56.5

b M 9 Bernadine (USA) — Laila Roolih (TE Orlerton)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$54,900 12 1 2 3

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

10. LADY OF ABUNDANCE (5) 56.5
b F 3 Xtravagant (NZ) — Madam Devine (P M Farrell)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$45,25 16 2 1 1

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

11. LEE HAITCH OH (4) 56.5
b G 5 Shooting To Win — Democrit (N F Boland)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$11,700 24 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

12. LEE HAITCH OH (4) 56.5
b G 5 Shooting To Win — Democrit (N F Boland)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$11,700 24 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

13. LEE HAITCH OH (4) 56.5
b G 5 Shooting To Win — Democrit (N F Boland)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$11,700 24 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

14. LEE HAITCH OH (4) 56.5
b G 5 Shooting To Win — Democrit (N F Boland)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$11,700 24 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

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Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

15. LEE HAITCH OH (4) 56.5
b G 5 Shooting To Win — Democrit (N F Boland)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$11,700 24 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

16. LEE HAITCH OH (4) 56.5
b G 5 Shooting To Win — Democrit (N F Boland)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$11,700 24 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

RACE 2

Class 2

2.25 (1750m)

1. JAMROCK (9) 59.5

b G 4 Piero — Est (Mammi) (Mick Attard)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$54,900 12 1 2 3

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

2. MAD HARRY (8) 59
b G 3 Harry Angel (IRE) — Von Krum (BF Cavanough)
\$0 — — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

3. TAKEMINE (10) 58
b M 4 Helbert — Lubiton (BF Cavanough)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$1475 1 — — — —

5th, 22Jun23 6.5L Muswellbrook 2yo Barrier Trial 800m (Ashley Morgan 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.48.30, Good (4), Sir Remap 1, Bravine Nature 2, Inimobile Lady 3, Sinitus Flyer 4.

3rd, 12Jul23 HD, 1L Muswellbrook Barrier Trial 1000m (Kody Nestor 3) 6, Catch Weight, 1.00.64, Soft (5), Nobby Boy 1, Tinger 2, Image Of The Sun 4.

2nd, 22Nov23 1.8L, 1.5L Scone Barrier Trial 900m (Cobi Viller 2) 7, Catch Weight, 0.53.55, Heavy (8), Florum Fred 1, Casino Stage 3, So Newchee Thinks 4.

Trials: (3-0-1-1). Look to markets.

4. ZIPPOIDEA (6) 57
b F 3 More Than Ready (USA) — Bewildering (P Northam)
P'Money STRS 1st 2nd 3rd
\$5200

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10. NEWFANGLED JILL (5) 55

bM 6 Real Impact (JPN) — Innovative Jill (JR Gask)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$38,075	24	1	2	3
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
24	—	16	7	1
Wins	—	—	1	—
2nds	—	2	—	—
3rds	—	2	1	—

TRACK: 5:1-0-1 DIST: 1:0-0-1

Won over: 1500 (1)

1st UP: 2:0-0-1 2nd UP: 2:0-0-0

3rd UP: 2:1-0-0 4th UP: 2:0-0-0

WIN: 4.2% PLACE: 25% RTG: 47

LAST IS STARTS: 59447233632075

3RD, 28Apr23 1.8L, Hif Mid Muswellbrook

Benchmark 58 1750m 55 (R Jones 7) 10, Lim 55, 1:48.03 (Last 600m 0:35.45), Good (4),

Rothrock 56 1, Heika 60 5.2, Turnaround Time 60.4, Big \$700, \$700, \$700 8th setting, 7th

to 1200m, 7th to 800m, 7th to turn. Slowly away

—FRESHENED—

2ND, 05Jun23 0.5L, 0.5LBathurst Benchmark

58 1800m 55 (G Buckley 3) 10, Lim 55, 1:52.65,

Good (3), Croatian Madame 55.5 1, Our Oatior 61.5 3, Do This All Day 60.5 4, Big \$330, \$370,

\$2.70 (fav) last setting, last to 1200m, last to 800m, last to turn. Slowly away

—FRESHENED—

12TH, 14Jul23 11.5L, Scone CIs 11600m 57 (Ms

J Duggan 10) 12, Set Weights, 1:36.22 (Last 600m

0:35.48), Good (4), Competition 56 1, Olie's

Secret 57.5 2, Matted 58 3, Bullbarrow 55 4,

Big \$2600, \$4100 last setting, last to 1200m,

11th to 800m, last to turn. Slowly away

—LET UP—

7TH, 25Sep23 5.32L, Tamworth CIs 1400m

52 (Ms S McDonough 6) 12, Lim 55, 1:21.98

(Last 600m 0:35.52), Good (4), Imperioness

55.1, Dubliner Boy 55.5 2, Injeda 55 3, Miss

Monopoly 55 4, Big \$1100, \$1300, \$1200 last

setting, last to 800m, 10th to turn.

—SPELL—

Resuming. Hasn't offered much fresh in

the past. Not fancied.

11. KYANITE (10) 55

ch G 7 Shooting To Win — Chakoyant (Ms C

Mumane)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$78,280	46	2	5	4
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
46	—	23	16	7
Wins	—	1	1	—
2nds	—	2	2	1
3rds	—	2	2	—

TRACK: 5:0-0-0 DIST: 2:0-0-0

Won over: 1100 (1) 1250 (1)

1st UP: 6:0-0-1 2nd UP: 5:1-0-0

3rd UP: 4:0-0-1 4th UP: 4:1-0-0

WIN: 4.3% PLACE: 23.9% RTG: 46

LAST IS STARTS: 22556056572832

7TH, 13Nov23 6.97L, Queanbeyan Benchmark

58 2000m 55 (B Ward 3) 7, Lim 55, 2:05.01 (Last

600m 0:37.43), Soft (6), James Barrie 61.5 1,

Uluwaa 54 2, Threw 57 3, Bull In Disguise

59 4, Big \$700, \$1200, \$1100 2nd setting, 2nd

to 1200m, 3rd to 800m, 3rd to turn. Vetted - no

abnormalities

8TH, 24Nov23 2.97L, Muswellbrook

Benchmark 58 1750m 54 (M Stapleford 6) 8, Lim

55, 1:50.17 (Last 600m 0:34.25), Good (4), Flying

Deel 57.5 1, Bob 58.5 2, Alpine Kandy 56.3, Our

Cousin AI 59.5 4, Big \$2600, \$1300 led setting, led

to 1200m, 3rd to 800m, 4th to turn.

3RD, 10Dec23 8L, Ungah Orange Benchmark

58 2100m 55 (J Placey-Holmes 6) 6, Lim 55,

212.97, Good (3), Will To Excel 59.5 1, Our City

58.5 2, Club Town 55 4, Big \$550, \$600 led

setting, led to 1200m, led to 800m, led to turn.

2ND, 26Dec23 5th Nck, 1L, Wauchop

Benchmark 50 1800m 58.5 (P Graham 5) 7

Lim 55, 1:52.09 (Last 600m 0:36.72), Soft (6),

My Sonny's Faith 60.5 1, Last Not Least 59 3,

Hayate 56.5 4, Big \$380

Gutsy effort when led and just missed at

Wauchop last outing. Place hope.

12. CURRENCY QUEEN (8) 55

bM 7 Eurozone — Bandit Queen (RE Clifton)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$30,410	17	1	2	3
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
17	—	7	7	3
Wins	—	—	1	—
2nds	—	—	1	—
3rds	—	1	—	—

TRACK: 2:0-0-0 DIST: 0:0-0-0

Won over: 1600 (1)

1st UP: 4:0-0-1 2nd UP: 4:0-0-0

3rd UP: 3:1-0-0 4th UP: 2:0-1-1

WIN: 5.9% PLACE: 35.3% RTG: 43

LAST IS STARTS: 5042234737591

7TH, 27Nov23 8.4L, Newcastle Mdn 1300m

55 (B Osmond 4) 9, Set Weights, 1:38.44 (Last

600m 0:34.90), Good (4), Diamond Tipped 59

1, Sir Godric 57.5 2, Currency Lad 57.5 3, The

Wanderer 59 4, Big \$1400, \$2600 led setting,

led to 800m, led to turn. Began awkwardly

—SPELL—

5TH, 16Nov23 706L, Quirindi Mdn 1200m

55 (D Mc Lellan 4) 9, Lim 55, 1:08.89 (Last 600m

0:33.28), Good (3), Savoca 56 1, Super Mind

55 2, Inevitable Red 59.3, Nikola 55 4, Big \$700,

\$1300, \$1600 6th setting, 6th to 800m, 5th

to turn.

9TH, 28Nov23 12.26L, Tamworth Mdn 1200m

57 (D Mc Lellan 4) 9, Set Weights, 1:06.66 (Last

600m 0:36.33), Soft (5), Zedari 57.5 1, Stock

The Rose 59 2, Utopian Spirit 59 3, Rapidly 55

4, Big \$1200, \$3100, \$2600 8th setting, 8th

to 800m, last to turn. Began awkwardly. Taken

back from wide barrier.

—FRESHENED—

WON, 26Dec23 0.5L, 6.5L Quirindi Mdn

1600m 54 (Ms R Broneit Plag 1) 6, Set Weights,

1:38.49, 1st, Ultimate Reign 54 2, Sofie's

Gem 56 3, Isish Falcon 59 4, Big \$3300

Made the running and fought on

determinedly to win at Quirindi at latest.

In the mix.

VL - TELE02010A

RACE 3
Class 2
3.05 (1000m)

1. OSTERBERG (13) 61

bG 4 Impending — Pop K A Lees

SCRATCHED

2. RAKOMELO (3) 61

bG 4 Lonho — Retsina (Mick Altard)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$11,325	17	2	1	2
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
17	—	11	4	2
Wins	—	—	1	—
2nds	—	1	—	—
3rds	—	1	—	—

TRACK: 0:0-0-0 DIST: 1:0-0-0

Won over: 1000 (1) 1200 (1)

1st UP: 5:1-1-1 2nd UP: 4:0-0-0

3rd UP: 2:0-0-1 4th UP: 2:0-0-0

WIN: 11.8% PLACE: 29.4% RTG: 64

LAST IS STARTS: 66143401504554

4TH, 19Oct23 2.44L, Hawkesbury Colts,

Horses & Geldings Benchmark 64 1100m 61 (B

Ryan 8) 4, Lim 55, 1:03.19 (Last 600m 0:33.42),

Good (4), Disneek 58.5 1, Sooboo 59.5 2,

Feel The Knight 57.5 3, Big \$2100, \$1800 2nd

setting, 2nd to 800m, 2nd to turn.

5TH, 02Nov23 2.89L, Gosford Colts, Horses &

Geldings Benchmark 64 1200m 57.5 (Ms A Roper

3) 8, Lim 55, 1:11.45 (Last 600m 0:34.27), Good

(4), Tim's Principal 55 1, Major Murphy 56 2,

Yokiko 55 3, Sarless Royale 58.5 4, Big \$500,

\$800 2nd setting, 2nd to 800m, 2nd to turn.

—FRESHENED—

5TH, 03Dec23 1.88L, Hawkesbury Benchmark

64 1100m 60 (B Ryan 4) 9, Lim 55, 1:03.50 (Last

600m 0:34.12), Good (4), Romeo's Choice 58.5 1,

The Clinson Idol 53.2, Russian Assassin 56.5 3,

Misty Legend 58 4, Big \$1200, \$1400 6th

setting, 6th to 800m, 6th to turn. Checked near

1000m.

4TH, 15Dec23 2.61L, Goulburn CIs 1200m

59.5 (Ms A Collett 2) 7, Lim 55, 1:11.34 (Last 600m

0:35.39), Good (4), Galactic Angel 55 1, Press

Lightly 55 2, Orya Lionel 58.5 3, Big \$330,

\$380, \$350 5th setting, 5th to 800m, 4th to

turn.

Wasn't all that far away at Goulburn at

latest. Drawn to receive every chance.

Consider.

3. WHO GOES THERE (8) 61

bG 4 Exosphere — Broadbeach Girl (M K Mason)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$40,200	3	2	—	—
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
3	—	2	—	—
Wins	—	—	1	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0:0-0-0 DIST: 2:1-0-0

Won over: 900 (1) 1000 (1)

1st UP: 2:1-0-0 2nd UP: 1:1-0-0

3rd UP: 0:0-0-0 4th UP: 0:0-0-0

WIN: 66.7% PLACE: 66.7% RTG: 64

LAST IS STARTS: 1157

WON, 17Apr23 3L, 4.8L, Scone Mdn 900m

58.5 (G Buckley 7) 10, Lim 55, 0:50.63 (Last

600m 0:32.33), Good (4), Dozen Kilpatrick 53.2,

Bowie's Prophet 55 3, Duchess Tilly 57 4, Big

\$195, \$260 (fav) led setting, led to turn.

—FRESHENED—

WON, 15May23 1.5L, 0.8L, Tamworth

Benchmark 58 1000m 61 (G Buckley 7) 10, Lim

55, 0:56.59 (Last 600m 0:33.80), Soft (5), The

Affirmative 59.5 2, Tennaginn 59.5 3, Pee Dee

59.4, Big \$150, \$126, \$130 (fav) led setting, led

to 800m, led to turn. Began awkwardly

—SPELL—

7TH, 07Dec23 4.74L, Gosford Benchmark 64

1000m 60 (G Buckley 2) 8, Lim 55, 0:57.45 (Last

600m 0:33.38), Good (4), Temple Run 60 1,

Salin And Silk 57.5 2, Time For Victory 59.5 3,

Sharkini 61.5 4, Big \$260, \$390 5th setting,

5th to 800m, 5th to turn.

—FRESHENED—

Freshened. Coming off an average run in

similar company at Gosford first-up. Won

second-up last campaign. Back to country

level. Each-way.

4. ELEGANT EMPRESS (9) 59.5

gr M 4 Holy Roman Emperor (BRE) — Bear Elegant

(USA) (Annabel Neasham)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$42,300	7	1	2	1
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
7	—	4	2	1
Wins	—	—	1	—
2nds	—	—	1	—
3rds	—	—	1	—

TRACK: 0:0-0-

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RACE 4

Maiden

3.40 (900m)

1. MAXIMUM RIDE (1) 59

b/f 4.5yr 100m - White Countess (D Lane)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

7th, 18Sep23 47L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Jenny Duggan 7) 7, Catch Weight, 0.50.74 (600m 0.34.63), Good (4), Sizzling Boy 1, Oakfield Badger 2, Biz Class 3, Helix Baby 4.

8th, 29Sep23 4L Beaumont Barrier Trial 1000m (Jenny Duggan 8) 10, Catch Weight, 1.00.80 (600m 0.34.88), Good (4), Solonist 1, Miss Moorooduc 2, dead heat, Rockbarton 3, 2 dead heat, Best Of Maher 4.

3rd, 15Dec23 2.8L, 1.3L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Magonian 3) 5, Catch Weight, 0.51.24 (600m 0.34.48), Good (4), Externus 1, Oakfield Panther 2, Headstart 4.

Trials: (3:0-0-1). Bears close watching.

2. THE TED STAR (14) 59

ch 5.5 Choice - Shrewsbury (Tanya Randall)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

3. SUPER STORY (5) 58

ch G 4 Supido - Persian Fable (S Singleton)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

4. ROCKET THE WRECKER (17) 57.5

b G 6 Sidstep - Budge (K Roberts)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

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Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

5. RELATED DUTY (11) 57

b H 5.5 Better Than Ready - Sophia Lago (T Wong)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

6. CATCHY TUNES (8) 56.5

b M 5 The Brothers War (USA) - Songcatcher (G McFarlane)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

7. QUEEN MAXIMA (15) 56

b M 4 All Too Hard - More Gracful (Matthew Smith)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

8. GUMAGAWAX (6) 55.5

b G 4 Arlington - Polskie Lady (P H Bloomfield)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

9. JOISELLE (16) 55.5

b F 3 Snitzel - Serenne (B F Cavanough)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

10. MAGNAT (9) 55.5

b F 3 Magnus - Go The Cats (Bjorn Baker)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

11. NICCI ROCKS (4) 55.5

ch F 3 Nicci - Absolute Rock (Mick Attard)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

12. AWESOME ICON (2) 55

b F 3 Priced Icon - Sister In Awe (T & P Vigorosa)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

13. INFINITE ROSE (13) 55

b F 3 Astern - Peta Rose (Mick Attard)

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LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

14. MISCALINI (7) 55

b F 3 Written By - Miesha (Bjorn Baker)

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LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

15. UNCLE ALF (12) 55.5

b G 5 Super One - Miss Murphy's Law (G McFarlane)

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LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

16. SERIFICE (18) 55

b/f 6 M 5 Denman - Commital (Tim McIntosh)

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LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

17. SISTER JOSEPHINE (10) 55

b F 3 Press Statement - Eurostar (P M Farrell)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

18. AL'S ROSE (3) 55

b M 6 No Nay Never (USA) - Pajinika (T E Ollerton)

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LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

19. BURRANEER BUOY (1) 58

b G 4 Denman - Mlady's Lass (T S Howlett)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

20. SEETHING SEAL (4) 57.5

b G 5 Smart Missile - Seething Duck (Ms K Owen)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

21. MANGOOA (11) 58

b/f 6 G Denman - Glareola (Cody Morgan)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (8), Jacky Dee 1, Night Patrol 2, Tamar 4.

5th, 30Nov23 8.4L Newcastle 4yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Dylan Gibbons 5) 6, Catch Weight, 0.49.52 (600m 0.34.02), Good (4), Noble One 1, Maghan 2, Tahoe Jack 3, Diamond Sun 4.

2nd, 15Dec23 Lng Nck, 1L Wyong 4yo+ Barrier Trial 845m (Benjamin Osmond 2) 5, Catch Weight, 0.52.23 (600m 0.35.17), Good (4), Let's Go Johnny 1, Count Rollo 3, Sanbaro 4.

Trials: (3:0-1-1). Watchbetting.

22. ZOFFANY'S GAZE (12) 58.5

b G 7 Zoffany (IRE) - Rosagaze (M K Mason)

\$0

LAST IS STARTS:

3rd, 24Mar23 2.8L, Lng Nck Gosford 3yo+ Colts, Horses & Geldings Barrier Trial 800m (Benjamin Osmond 3) 7, Catch Weight, 0.51.25 (600m 0.37.44), Heavy (

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7TH 15Nov23 4.95L Rosehill (Metro) 3yo Benchmark 72 1300m 54 (R Jones) 8, Lim 54, 1.36.35 (Last 600m 0.34.01), Good (4), Step Aside 59.1, Cloudland 60.52, Sumptuary 56.5, The King 57.5 4, Big \$58.00, \$101.00, \$41.00 last setting, last to 800m, last to turn.

8TH 02Dec23 5.1L Newcastle Benchmark 64 1600m 56 (S Lunny) 8, Lim 55, 1.38.55 (Last 600m 0.34.79), Soft (7), Believe So 55.5, Master Copy 60.2, Iverson 59.3, Baledoo 56.4, Big \$18.00, \$21.00 6th setting, 6th to 1200m, 6th to 800m, 6th to turn.

3RD 13Dec23 2L 0.8L Wyong Benchmark 64 1600m 52 (M Owen) 9, Lim 55, 1.36.51 (Last 600m 0.36.01), Good (4), Mistress 58.1, Tip Top Timing 55.5, Silent Russian 58.4, Big \$20.00, \$10.00 8th setting, 8th to 1200m, 8th to 800m, last to turn, Held up near start.

7TH 20Dec23 5.5L Warwick Farm (Metro) 5yo Benchmark 72 1600m 51 (M Owen) 5, Lim 54, 1.41.17 (Last 600m 0.36.58), Heavy (9), McGeehan 57.5, Edmond 60.2, Crystal Waters 54.5, Lemare 57.4, Big \$20.00, \$19.00, \$20.00 6th setting, 6th to 1200m, 6th to 800m, last to turn.

Just battled home this level at Warwick Farm last start. Backmarker. Place preferred.

7. CAPITAL GAMBLE (7) 56.5

b M S Capitalist - Gamba (S C Jones)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$58,815	14	2	5	1
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
Wins	10	2	2	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0.0-0-0 **DIST:** 0.0-0-0

Won over: 1350 (114000 (1))

1st UP: 3.0-2-0 **2nd UP:** 3.0-0-1

3rd UP: 3.1-1-0 **4th UP:** 2.0-2-0

WIN: 14.3% **PLACE:** 57.1% **RTG:** 61

LAST 15 STARTS: 56.5 3250.5 2521

2ND 23Sep23 5.1L Nck, 0.8L Gunnedah CIs 1 1000m 56 (Z Wadick) 10, Lim 55, 0.58.71, Good (4), Seeni 57.1, Cyclone Rupert 57.3, Cool Rider 56.4, Big \$19.00, \$20.00 6th setting, 6th to 800m, 6th to turn.

---FRESHENED---

5TH 16Oct23 2.64L Scone CIs 1 1200m 57 (D Mc Lellan) 7, Lim 55, 1.12.11 (Last 600m 0.36.52), Good (3), Helka 59.5, Bullwaa Creek 57.2, Harbour Gold 55.5, Arabiata 57.5 4, Big \$15.00, \$10.00, \$11.00 last setting, last to 800m, 7th to turn.

5TH 09Nov23 0.95L Muswellbrook Benchmark 58 1280m 58 (R Hutchings) 4, Lim 56, 1.16.20, Good (4), Hiraslin 58.1, Impetuous 58.2, Vis I Do 59.5 3, Barranear Buoy 60.5 4, Big \$14.00, \$11.00 4th setting, 4th to 800m, 5th to turn. Began awkwardly, Keen, Crowded concluding stages.

2ND 24Nov23 1.3L Hfl Nck Muswellbrook Fillies & Mares CIs 11450m 58.5 (K Jennings) 2, Lim 55, 1.27.06 (Last 600m 0.35.23), Good (4), McKean 56.5, Avoid Me 56.5 3, Aye You Certain 53.4, Big \$18.00, \$19.00, \$34.00 4th setting, 4th to 800m, 5th to turn. Hampered at start.

WON 12Dec23 1L Hfl Nck Tamworth Benchmark 58 1400m 58.5 (D Mc Lellan) 3, Lim 55, 1.22.90 (Last 600m 0.36.72), Good (4), Aye You Joking 58.2, Miss Nicolini 55.5 3, Dubliner Bay 58.4, Big \$6.00, \$8.00 7th setting, 7th to 800m, 7th to turn. Checked near 1200m.

---FRESHENED---

Freshened. Quickened smartly to score at Tamworth last start. In the mix.

8. AARKUS (8) 56

b G S Testa Rossa - Vision And Verse (C K Martin)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$41,755	13	2	—	3
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
Wins	7	4	2	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0.0-0-0 **DIST:** 0.0-0-0

Won over: 1200 (2)

1st UP: 3.0-0-2 **2nd UP:** 3.1-0-0

3rd UP: 2.1-0-0 **4th UP:** 2.0-0-0

WIN: 15.4% **PLACE:** 38.9% **RTG:** 56

LAST 15 STARTS: 36.35 1406.47 35

4TH 13Oct23 1.05L Tamworth CIs 1 1000m 56 (G Buckley) 3, Lim 55, 1.10.00 (Last 600m 0.34.20), Good (4), Pyramid Of Fire 57.1, Vis I Do 55.5 2, Dirty Merchant 61.3, Big \$19.00, \$21.00 6th setting, 6th to 800m, 5th to turn. Slowly away.

7TH 03Nov23 2.9L Metro Benchmark 66 1200m 57.5 (A Morgan) 7, Lim 55, 1.10.37, Soft (5), Calgary King 59.5, Loma Grove 56.2, Danza In The Dark 59.3, Sparks 59.5 4, Big \$10.00, \$8.00 8th setting, 8th to 800m, 8th to turn. Slowly away.

---FRESHENED---

5TH 28Nov23 4.95L Tamworth Benchmark 58 1400m 58 (M Stapleford) 10, Lim 55, 1.23.61 (Last 600m 0.36.66), Soft (5), Dubliner Bay 56.1, Lord Of The Sun 59.2, China Grove 59.5 3, Heredero 57.4, Big \$5.00, \$7.00 8th setting, 8th to 800m, 5th to turn. Laid in straight.

3RD 12Dec23 1.9L Nck, 2.3L Tamworth CIs 1 1400m 57.5 (G Buckley) 8, Lim 55, 1.23.12 (Last 600m 0.36.35), Good (4), Barranear Buoy 57.1, Vis I Do 59.2, Salt And Pepper 55.4, Big \$16.00, \$18.00, \$16.00 6th setting, 6th to 800m, 7th to turn.

5TH 24Dec23 2.56L Tamworth CIs 2 1400m 52.5 (M Bell) 8, Lim 55, 1.23.05 (Last 600m 0.36.23), Soft (5), Mackay 61.5, Arabiata 58.2, I Am Convincing 55.1, Barranear Buoy 59.4, Big \$18.00, \$19.00, \$18.00 last setting, last to 800m, 8th to turn.

Fair effort without threatening at Tamworth latest. Consider.

9. FACTFINDER (2) 56

b G 6 The Factor (USA) - Amazon (M C Crockett)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$36,635	12	2	1	—
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
Wins	9	2	1	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0.0-0-0 **DIST:** 0.0-0-0

Won over: 1400 (1) 1600 (1)

1st UP: 3.0-0-0 **2nd UP:** 2.0-0-0

3rd UP: 2.0-0-0 **4th UP:** 1.1-0-0

WIN: 16.7% **PLACE:** 25% **RTG:** 56

VL - TELELOZMOA

LAST 15 STARTS: 98.76 1542.86 0

4TH 08May22 6.6L Mudgee 3yo BM58 2000m 61.5 (M B Stower) 4, Lim 55, 0.23.17 (Last 600m 0.00.00), Heavy (9), Costa Chin Chin 55.1, Caneering Away 58.5 2, Jungle Rush 55.3, Big \$35.29 (fav) 3rd setting, 3rd to 1200m, 3rd to 800m, 2nd to turn. Began awkwardly, Keen, Laid in straight.

---FRESHENED---

2ND 19Jun22 1.0L 0.8L Coonamble BM58 1600m 61.5 (K Nestor) 8, Lim 55, 0.13.9.270 (Last 600m 0.00.00), Good (4), Oakfield Warpaint 56.5 1, Redgast 60.3, Den Moss 59.5 4, Big \$35.16, \$34.8th setting, 8th to 1200m, last to 800m, led to turn. Began awkwardly, Held up near 600m.

---SPELL---

8TH 22Sep23 9.7L Scone Benchmark 66 1400m 58 (J Jennings) 6, Lim 55, 1.22.27 (Last 600m 0.34.32), Good (4), The Hungarian 61.5, Herne Hill 55.2, Titled Tycoon 58.5 3, What A Peach 58.5 4, Big \$21.00, \$26.00 4th setting, 2nd to 800m, 4th to turn. Raced wide without cover, Lane 3/5.

---FRESHENED---

6TH 22Oct23 5.8L Coonabarabran CIs 3 1600m 58 (J Pracey-Holmes) 2, Lim 55, 1.34.03, Good (3), Titled Tycoon 59.1, Bill Peyto 53.2, Cranley Creed 53.5 3, Skyforge 58.4, Big \$7.50, \$12.00 last setting, last to 1200m, last to 800m, 9th to turn.

13TH 12Nov23 7.9L Warren CIs 2 1600m 59 (M A Cahill) 13, Lim 55, 1.37.18, Good (3), Lady Cornelia 53.5 1, A Pound Of Salt 56.5 2, Mr Invinible 58.5 3, Barry The Post 56.4, Big \$5.00, \$18.00 12th setting, 10th to 1200m, 4th to 800m, 3rd to turn. Raced wide without cover.

---LET UP---

Returning from let-up. Ordinary in similar class at Warren last time out. Can't have.

10. PROUD WITH PRIDE (9) 55.5

b M 4 Pride Of Dubai - Zorock (B F Cavanagh)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$50,725	10	2	2	—
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
Wins	3	5	2	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0.0-0-0 **DIST:** 0.0-0-0

Won over: 1400 (1) 1550 (1)

1st UP: 2.0-0-0 **2nd UP:** 1.0-1-0

3rd UP: 1.0-0-0 **4th UP:** 1.0-0-0

WIN: 20% **PLACE:** 4.0% **RTG:** 59

LAST 15 STARTS: 426.51 26.18 6

2ND 16Jun23 2.8L 0.8L Coffs Harbour Benchmark 58 1600m 54.5 (Baith Nock) 1, Lim 55, 1.40.93 (Last 600m 0.38.55), Soft (6), Clapton 62.1, Blend 55.5 3, Timmyou 58.5 4, Big \$5.00, \$48.00, \$6.50 10th setting, 10th to 1200m, 10th to 800m, 8th to turn. Dwelt at start (2L).

6TH 02Jul23 1.8L Grafton 3yo Benchmark 66 1420m 55 (A Morgan) 7, Lim 55, 1.25.57 (Last 600m 0.35.82), Soft (5), Deep Opinions 59.5 1, Bonjour Rupert 59.2, Chakawa 59.3, Do It For You 56.4, Big \$26.00, \$41.00 8th setting, 8th to 800m, 7th to turn. Slowly away.

WON 13Jul23 5.1L Grafton CIs 1 1400m 57 (J Oman) 8, Lim 55, 1.24.56 (Last 600m 0.36.98), Good (4), Captain Underpants 59.2, Listen To Maurice 59.3, Enterprise Phoenix 57.5 4, Big \$6.00, \$4.40, \$5.00 last setting, 13th to 800m, last to turn. Dwelt at start (2L), Held up near 600m, Wide on straightening.

---FRESHENED---

8TH 04Aug23 4.35L Coffs Harbour CIs 2 1600m 55.5 (J Baylies) 2, Lim 55, 1.38.24 (Last 600m 0.37.36), Good (4), Kyrrenyng 56.1, Daedalus 55.2, Passionate Rebel 59.3, Newer Island 55.4, Big \$5.50, \$5.50 last setting, last to 1200m, last to 800m, last to turn. Blew start (3L).

---SPELL---

6TH 19Dec23 4.83L Scone Benchmark 66 1200m 55.5 (G Buckley) 8, Lim 55, 1.14.49 (Last 600m 0.34.01), Good (4), Ciroben 57.1, Crystal Chief 60.5 2, Leopard 58.3, Agribest friend 59.5 4, Big \$41.00, \$3.00 8th setting, 8th to 800m, 8th to turn. Keen.

Just battled home this level at Scone first-up. Appears tested.

11. TAPAKICK (5) 55.5

b G 3 Scissor Kick - Mai Gluck (GB) (P Messara & L Gavanich)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$32,795	5	1	3	1
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
Wins	2	3	—	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0.0-0-0 **DIST:** 0.0-0-0

Won over: 1200 (1)

1st UP: 2.1-1-0 **2nd UP:** 1.0-0-1

3rd UP: 1.0-1-0 **4th UP:** 1.0-1-0

WIN: 20% **PLACE:** 100% **RTG:** 58

LAST 15 STARTS: 232.21

2ND 28May23 0.5L Shl/2hd Gunnedah Mdn 1400m 56.5 (G Buckley) 8, Lim 55, 1.24.33 (Last 600m 0.36.18), Good (4), Vis I Do 59.1, Blue Canasta 59.3, Songbird Star 58.4, Big \$5.00, \$3.40, \$3.70 8th setting, 8th to 800m, 5th to turn.

3RD 13Jun23 0.5L Lng hnd Scone Mdn 1300m 58 including 0.5 over (A Bullock) 9, Lim 55, 1.38.63 (Last 600m 0.35.62), Soft (7), Silent Russian 60.1, Jamaican 58.2, Big \$2.5, \$1.85, \$1.90 (fav) 6th setting, 6th to 800m, 6th to turn.

2ND 30Jun23 3L 0.5L Scone Mdn 1600m 57.5 including 1.0 over (A Bullock) 8, Set Weights, 1.37.95 (Last 600m 0.35.59), Soft (5), Lord Finland 59.1, Deep Voyage 59.3, Ideal Hero 59.4, Big \$1.95, \$2.35 (fav) 5th setting, 5th to 1200m, 5th to 800m, 5th to turn. Began awkwardly.

---SPELL---

2ND 1Jul23 Lng hnd 3L Gunnedah Mdn 1600m 57.5 including 1.0 over (A Bullock) 1.6, Set Weights, 1.40.29 (Last 600m 0.36.65), Soft (5), Church Town 59.1, Sunglare 59.1, Reacquaint 57.4, Big \$1.18, \$1.08, \$1.10 2nd setting, 2nd to 1200m, 2nd to 800m, 2nd to turn. Lane 2/5.

---SPELL---

WON 08Dec23 0.5L Hfl Nck Gosford Mdn 1200m 58 including 0.5 over (A Bullock) 1, Set Weights, 1.12.40 (Last 600m 0.35.64), Good (4), Fiosum Red 57.5 2, Too Many Stays 55.5 3, Silver Halo 55.4, Big \$16.00, \$2.40 (fav) 4th setting, 4th to 800m, 4th to turn.

---FRESHENED---

Freshened. Impressive win at short odds at Gosford first-up. Placed in Maiden company at Scone second-up last campaign. One of the major players.

12. I AM CONVINCING (10) 55

b G 61 Am Invinible - Consulting (S1 Singleton)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$36,045	13	1	1	3
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
Wins	4	8	1	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 3.0-1-0 **DIST:** 0.0-0-0

Won over: 1400 (1)

1st UP: 2.0-0-1 **2nd UP:** 2.0-0-0

3rd UP: 2.1-0-0 **4th UP:** 2.0-0-1

WIN: 77% **PLACE:** 38.5% **RTG:** 52

LAST 15 STARTS: 78.57 63.52 63.51

6TH 26May22 2.6L Bathurst Mdn 1400m 57.5 (A Layt) 9, Lim 55.5, 0.12.30.30 (Last 600m 0.00.00), Soft (6), Upgrades 58.1, Miss Adrenaline 57.5 2, Jacor's Day 55.5 3, Big \$2.8, \$2.6, \$3.2 2nd setting, led to 800m, led to turn.

---SPELL---

3RD 30Oct23 0.5L 0.5L Beaumont Colts, Hoses & Geldings Mdn 1150m 56 (M Stapleford) 1, Set Weights, 1.08.21 (Last 600m 0.34.49), Good (4), Trapeze Pleasure 56.5 1, Mr Showman 57.5 2, Lone Force 56.5 4, Big \$31.00, \$41.00 5th setting, 5th to 800m, 6th to turn. Struck interference near 400m.

5TH 13Nov23 2.6L Scone Mdn 1200m 56 (M Stapleford) 8, Set Weights, 1.11.93 (Last 600m 0.33.86), Good (4), Corpman 55.5 1, Twilight Rock 59.2, Baided Gold 54.3, Aye You Joking 57.5 4, Big \$4.40, \$3.60 4th setting, 4th to 800m, 4th to turn. Blundered at start.

WON 03Dec23 1.5L 2L Armidale Mdn 1400m 55 (M Stapleford) 3, Lim 55, 1.24.20, Soft (5), Nicky's Diego 54.5 2, Charlie Bali 56.5 3, Backlash 56.5 4, Big \$2.25, \$2.05, \$2.00 (fav) 3rd setting, 3rd to 800m, 4th to turn. Laid out in straight.

3RD 24Dec23 0.5L 0.8L Tamworth CIs 2 1400m 55 (Bally Gray) 3, Lim 55, 1.23.05 (Last 600m 0.36.23), Soft (5), Mackay 61.5, Arabiata 58.2, Barranear Buoy 59.4, Big \$12.00, \$17.00, \$15.00 5th setting, 6th to 800m, 6th to turn.

Found line well to place at Tamworth last outing. 3kg claimer engaged. Tough alley. In the mix.

RACE 6

Class 1

4.55 (1280m)

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12. GOLD SMILES (8) 56

b/G 4 Oratorio — Karmella (Sally Torrens)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$32,585	14	1	2	—
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
14	—	6	4	4
Wins	—	—	1	—
2nds	—	2	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 1:0-1-0

WON over 1400 (I)

1st UP: 2:0-0-0

3rd UP: 2:0-0-0

WIN: 71% PLACE: 21.4% RTG: 51

LAST IS STARTS: 74-46-46-62-56124

5TH, 08Nov23 2.4L Coonamble Mdn 1300m 53 (Braith Nock 8) 1L, Lim 55, 1:18.47, Good (4), Bldd Storm 55.1, Infinite Prince 58.5, Dotti On Time 54.1, Bliss 52.5, Bg \$75.0, \$10.00 9th setting, 9th to 800m, 9th to turn. Began awkwardly.

6TH, 21Oct23 2.45L Narronine Mdn 1300m 57 (J Barrett 12) 1L, Set Weights, 1:18.32, Good (3), Cavallero 57.1, Railway Avenue 59.2, Zarizatz 57.3, King Qn 59.4, Bg \$3.00, \$3.60 9th setting, 9th to 800m, 9th to turn.

WON, 03Nov23 0.5L, Nck Moree Mdn 1400m 57 (Braith Nock 2) 1L, Set Weights, 1:24.37, Soft (5), Tiny Emperor 56.2, Prince Carlos 56.3, Tudor Cathedral 59.4, Bg \$2.90, \$3.30, \$3.20 (fav) 2nd setting, 4th to 800m, 4th to turn. Held up near turn.

2ND, 26Nov23 0.5L, 1.8L Muswellbrook Colts, Hoses & Geldings 11450m 53 (Braith Nock 1) 2L, Lim 55, 1:26.03 (Last 600m 0.35.80), Good (4), Mazza 57.5, Karaoke King 55.3, Bg Time Charlie 56.4, Bg \$8.50, \$2.00 4th setting, 5th to 800m, 5th to turn.

4TH, 16Dec23 1.67L Mbree Cls 1 1600m 57 (Braith Nock 3) 1L, Set Weights, 1:38.03, Soft (5), Fels 55.1, Always Hunting 59.2, Anazone 55.3, Bg \$3.40, \$3.70, \$3.60 2nd setting, 4th to 1200m, 6th to 800m, 2nd to turn.

Gave good account at Moree last outing. Worth some thought.

13. FINANCE PARTNER (9) 55

b/G 4 Pariah — Come On Over (Ms C Murrane)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$6,825	11	1	1	1
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
11	—	10	—	—
Wins	—	1	—	—
2nds	—	1	—	—
3rds	—	1	—	—

TRACK: 2:0-0-0

WON over 1200 (I)

1st UP: 2:0-0-0

3rd UP: 2:0-0-0

WIN: 9.1% PLACE: 27.3% RTG: 48

LAST IS STARTS: 97-87-36-82168

8TH, 26Sep23 1.5L Beaumont Colts, Hoses & Geldings Mdn 1150m 59 (Ms J Taylor 6) 8, Set Weights, 1:07.50 (Last 600m 0.33.80), Good (4), Head Of The Herd 56.5, Immobile Whip 56.5, Written Silk 56.5, Imman 59.4, Bg \$3.00, \$61.00 6th setting, 6th to 800m, last to turn. Struck interference at start. Keen.

2ND, 14Oct23 0.5L 1.5L Wauchope Mdn 1000m 57 (Ms C Bellamy 6) 8, Set Weights, 0:58.43, Good (4), A Tender Lady 57.1, Cuisenaire 59.3, Tsunami Force 59.4, Bg \$3.20 (fav).

WON, 07Nov23 2.3L, 1.5L Tamworth Mdn 1200m 55 (Ms A Cooper 5) 6, Set Weights, 1:11.39, Good (4), Quiet Approach 56.2, An Charrag 57.1, I Am Dusk 57.4, Bg \$2.50.

6TH, 27Nov23 3.88L, Taree Colts, Hoses & Geldings Benchmark 581250m 55 (Ms Bellamy 10) 10, Lim 55, 1:14.18 (Last 600m 0.35.66), Good (4), Obelus 57.1, Edge Of Midnight 58.2, October Revolution 62.5, Bear's A Star 58.4, Bg \$26.00, \$21.00, \$51.00 led setting, led to 800m, led to turn. Rider lost whip.

8TH, 19Dec23 0.0L, Scone Cls 1 1400m 55 (Van Der Hoven 3) 10, Lim 55, 1:22.09 (Last 600m 0.34.68), Good (4), Bangetta 56.5, Brok Cafe 55.5, Extreme Meager 54.5, Immobile Red 58.4, Bg \$101.00, \$101.00 2nd setting, 2nd to 800m, 6th to turn.

On pace but weakened right out of it at Scone last outing. Not fancied.

14. IRISH KIN (6) 55

b/G 5 Albrecht — Irish Hope (S J Gleeson)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$25,630	20	1	—	—
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
20	—	5	10	5
Wins	—	—	1	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	1	1	1

TRACK: 7:0-0-1

WON over 1250 (I)

1st UP: 4:0-0-0

3rd UP: 2:0-0-0

WIN: 5% PLACE: 20% RTG: 46

LAST IS STARTS: 390-767-383-48-46

3RD, 19Jun23 Hlt Hd, Sht Hd Beaumont Cls 1 1300m 55 (A Gibbons 10) 10, Lim 55, 1:19.07 (Last 600m 0.35.44), Good (4), Cannoli 60.5, Ollie's Secret 59.5, Lagers Daughter 55.4, Bg \$21.00, \$11.00 led setting, led to 800m, led to turn.

4TH, 07Jul23 3.3L Tamworth Cls 1 1200m 55.5 (Ms M Weir 6) 12, Lim 55, 1:11.95 (Last 600m 0.36.06), Heavy (10), Fabulous Choice 53.5, Calagie King 57.5, Yirika 54.3, Bg \$26.00, \$31.00 7th setting, 7th to 800m, 7th to turn.

8TH, 30Jul23 3.5L Muswellbrook Benchmark 581280m 55 (Ms E Hennessy 6) 11, Lim 55, 1:15.30 (Last 600m 0.34.99), Good (4), Crosslie Road 59.1, Shikari 59.5, Flying Birds 60.3, Darkley 60.5, Bg \$21.00, \$8.00 led setting, led to 800m, 2nd to turn.

4TH, 08Dec23 2.09L Gosford Benchmark 581000m 55 (Ms M Weir 5) 5, Lim 55, 0:59.24 (Last 600m 0.34.91), Good (4), Takaralevy 58.1, Nod Di Cocco 58.2, Storms End 57.3, Bg \$20.00, \$25.00, \$21.00 led setting, last to 800m, last to turn. Began awkwardly.

6TH, 18Dec23 2.49L Kempsey Cls 1 1250m 55 (D Mc Lellan 3) 11, Lim 55, 1:12.19 (Last 600m 0.35.66), Good (3), Roman Rebel 59.1, Jeanne Dream 55.2, La Quinta Donna 56.5, Pretty Shamrock 54.5, Bg \$11.00, \$8.50 8th setting, 8th to 800m, 8th to turn. Eased near 1000m.

Fair effort without threatening at Kempsey last outing. Not fancied.

RACE 7
Maiden SW
5.35 (1500m)

1. MEDINAH (11) 59

b/G 4 Pariah — Astrophysical Jet (GB) (M D Griffith)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$31,490	9	—	4	—
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
9	—	4	3	2
Wins	—	—	—	—
2nds	—	2	1	1
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0:0-0-0

1st UP: 3:0-0-0

3rd UP: 2:0-1-0

WIN: 15% PLACE: 44.4% RTG: 51

LAST IS STARTS: 62-56-42-4652

2ND, 17Jun23 0.5L, 0.5L Donald Mdn 1200m 59.5 (J Maskell 7) 10, Set Weights, 1:13.50 (Last 600m 0.36.26), Soft (6), Sunstrider 59.5, All Black 59.5, Witness Impact 59.5, Bg \$7.50, \$10.00 3rd setting, 3rd to 800m, 3rd to turn. Raced three wide.

2ND, 06Jul23 1.5L Moe 3yo+ Mdn 1208m 59.5 (Liam Rordan 6) 11, Set Weights, 1:16.14 (Last 600m 0.38.54), Heavy (9), Royal Lane 57.5, Xiao Long Bao 59.5, Cheeky Kevin 59.5, Bg \$2.20, \$2.50 (fav) 3rd setting, 3rd to 800m, 3rd to turn.

4TH, 13Jul23 7.9L Bendigo 3yo Mdn 1300m 59.5 (Liam Rordan 8) 13, Set Weights, 1:19.78 (Last 600m 0.36.78), Heavy (8), Wellie Belle 56.1, Bodhisattva 58.2, Jennamoose 56.3, Bg \$7.00, \$6.00 3rd setting, 3rd to 800m, 3rd to turn.

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5TH, 01Dec23 1.38L Mudgee Mdn 1200m 59 (A Bullock 7) 8, Set Weights, 1:13.5, Soft (7), Invasive Dreams 55.5, Bit Of A Step 59.2, Twilight Rock 57.3, Floss's One 55.4, Bg \$2.05, \$2.80, \$2.70 6th setting, 6th to 800m, 7th to turn. Began awkwardly.

2ND, 19Dec23 1.5L, 0.8L Scone Mdn 1300m 58.5 (A Bullock 1) 14, Lim 55, 1:15.90 (Last 600m 0.34.81), Good (4), Erle 53.1, Image Of The Sun 55.5, Takemine 57.4, Bg \$2.50, \$2.5, \$2.30 (fav) 6th setting, 6th to 800m, 7th to turn.

Improved showing at Scone last start. Ready for this trip now. Each way.

2. SOVEREIGN DANE (7) 59

b/G 4 Dandi Brahma (NZ) — Meritaggio (NZ)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$88.25	3	—	—	1
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
3	—	2	1	—
Wins	—	—	—	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0:0-0-0

1st UP: 3:0-1-0

3rd UP: 0:0-0-0

WIN: 33.3% PLACE: 33.3% RTG: 48

LAST IS STARTS: 46364

4TH, 02Dec22 5.4L Mudgee Mdn 1200m 58 including 0.5 over (A Bullock 4) 11, Set Weights, 1:15.28, Good (4), Thespis 57.5, Wedding Tent 55.2, Turnaway 59.3, Bg \$1.70, \$1.80, \$1.70 (fav) 4th setting, 4th to 800m, 4th to turn. Hung out throughout. Vetted - no abnormalities.

--- SPELL ---

3RD, 11Jun23 1.8L, 0.5L Hawkesbury Mdn 1300m 58.5 (A Morgan 5) 13, Lim 55, 1:18.65 (Last 600m 0.35.13), Soft (5), Missile Max 58.5, Harry Tudor 58.2, Sidney 55.4, Bg \$5.50, \$7.50, \$7.00 led setting, led to 800m, led to turn.

--- SPELL ---

4TH, 16Dec23 5.66L Beaumont Mdn 1350m 59 (M Bell 7) 9, Set Weights, 1:21.33 (Last 600m 0.35.24), Good (4), Colours Of Autumn 55.5, Irish Accolade 57.5, So Newchee Thinks 55.3, Bg \$2.80, \$3.50, \$3.30 2nd setting, 2nd to 800m, led to turn.

Coming off an average run at Beaumont first-up. Fitter. Back to country level. Worth some thought.

3. BLEND OF THREE (19) 57.5

b/G 3 Pietro — Lesley's Choice Annabel Neasham

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$800	1	—	—	—
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
1	—	—	—	—
Wins	—	—	—	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0:0-0-0

1st UP: 1:0-0-0

3rd UP: 0:0-0-0

WIN: 0% PLACE: 0% RTG: 46

LAST IS STARTS: 7

7TH, 15Dec23 14.04L Beaumont Mdn 1350m 57.5 (K Jennings 9) 9, Set Weights, 1:21.33 (Last 600m 0.35.24), Good (4), Colours Of Autumn 55.5, Irish Accolade 57.5, So Newchee Thinks 55.3, Sovereign Dane 59.4, Bg \$26.00, \$51.00 7th setting, 6th to 800m, 7th to turn.

Was safely held at Beaumont on debut. This is easier but needs to find something extra. Rank outside.

5. SIR LIMESTAR (4) 57.5

b/G 3 Star Tum — Limehouse (T Wong)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$0	—	—	—	—
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
—	—	—	—	—
Wins	—	—	—	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

LAST IS STARTS:

7TH, 13Nov23 11.9L Hawkesbury 3yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (R Hutchings 7) 2, Catch Weight, 0:48.20 (600m 0.33.74), Good (4), Kwijibo 1, Apic Run 2, One Last Shot 3, Metal Magic 4.

6TH, 12Dec23 3L Hawkesbury 3yo+ Barrier Trial 800m (Julia Presits 6) 2, Catch Weight, 0:46.58 (600m 0.32.31), Good (4), Shambrella 1, Blitkrieg 2, Edale Flame 3, So Yes It Is 4. Trials: (2:0-0-0). Not shown up at the trials. Watch the market.

6. SON O' WAR (15) 57.5

b/G 3 War Decree (USA) — Otryst (NZ) (C Maher & D Eustace)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$0	—	—	—	—
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
—	—	—	—	—
Wins	—	—	—	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

LAST IS STARTS:

4TH, 15Nov23 11.5L Wyong 3yo Colts & Geldings Mdn 845m (Ms L Day 4) 5, Catch Weight, 0:51.98 (600m 0.35.20), Good (4), Northsillyone 1, How Much Better 2, Tonix 3. 6TH, 30Nov23 11.5L Newcastle Barrier Trial 1200m (Gavin Ryan 6) 2, Catch Weight, 1:14.63 (600m 0.35.92), Good (4), Opus 1, Durbelievir 2, Twenty Four Guns 3, Calanche 4.

6TH, 22Dec23 10.3L Warwick Farm 3yo+ Barrier Trial 1200m (Gavin Ryan 6) 6, Catch Weight, 1:14.31 (600m 0.36.42), Soft (7), Watermelon 1, Fireup 2, By Nine 3, Fire Island 4. Trials: (3:0-0-0). Yet to place in trials. Monitor betting moves.

7. DUNALOCE (6) 57

b/M 4 Dundee (NZ) — Cavaloe (Nathan Doyle)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$10,640	8	—	—	1
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
8	—	7	1	—
Wins	—	—	—	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0:0-0-0

1st UP: 3:0-0-1

3rd UP: 1:0-0-0

WIN: 12.5% PLACE: 25% RTG: 48

LAST IS STARTS: 60-45-66-38

5TH, 06Apr23 5.7L Pakenham 3yo+ Fillies & Mares Mdn 1600m 57.5 (2 Span 5) 10, Set Weights, 1:39.35 (Last 600m 0.36.36), Good (4), Ramazzina 57.5, Paabellum 58.2, MonEtoile 57.5, Grand Touraine 57.5, Bg \$8.50, \$10.00 7th setting, 7th to 1200m, 8th to 800m, 8th to turn. Held up near 500m.

6TH, 25Apr23 2.6L Gawler 3yo+ Mdn 1700m 55 (Kayla Crowthor 10) 12, Set Weights, 1:45.48 (Last 600m 0.37.18), Good (4), Horsesusie 56.1, Punchin 57.2, Pussycat 54.3, VC Reel 55.4, Bg \$2.70, \$2.25 (fav) 8th setting, 8th to 1200m, 9th to 800m, 7th to turn.

6TH, 18May23 2.8L Bordertown 2yo+ Mdn 1550m 55.5 (Kayla Crowthor 6) 12, Set Weights, 1:38.31, Soft (5), Tobiwashi 55.5, Parsonage Lane 57.5, Free Fallin' 58.3, Ryan Wayne 58.4, Bg \$1.70, \$1.90, \$1.40 (fav) 8th setting, 8th to 1200m, 8th to 800m, 9th to turn. Began awkwardly. Widened 400m.

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3RD, 27Nov23 1.5L, 1.3L Newcastle Mdn 1400m 57 (A Morgan 6) 10, Set Weights, 1:23.98 (Last 600m 0.34.73), Good (4), Fioprospero 57.5, Jared 57.5, Zoukeeper 59.4, Bg \$6.50, \$9.50 4th setting, 3rd to 800m, 4th to turn. Wide throughout.

8TH, 07Dec23 2.8L Gosford Mdn 1600m 57 (A Morgan 3) 8, Set Weights, 1:37.73 (Last 600m 0.35.73), Good (4), Djapana 55.5, Dorakaya 54.2, Balmiero 57.5, Royal Promise 57.4, Bg \$5.50, \$4.80, \$5.50 2nd setting, 2nd to 1200m, 2nd to 800m, 6th to turn.

--- FRESHENED ---

Freshened. On the speed but ran out of petrol quickly at Gosford last outing. Drops in grade but sharp improvement required. Can't have.

8. LADY BRULEE (3) 57

b/M 4 Zoustar — Mother's Milk (NZ) (Julie Hall)

P'Money	STRS	1st	2nd	3rd
\$11,875	7	—	—	1
Sts	Firm	Good	Soft	Heavy
7	—	4	2	1
Wins	—	—	—	—
2nds	—	—	—	—
3rds	—	—	—	—

TRACK: 0:0-0-0

1st UP: 2:0-0-0

3rd UP: 2:0-0-0

CANTERBURY RACES Friday

Tips by Scott McDonald
TAB CODE: SR

DAILY DOUBLE RACES 6 & 8

TAB FIRST 4 ALL RACES

EARLY QUADDIE RACES 1, 2, 3, 4

TREBLE RACES 5, 6, 7, 8

QUADDIE RACES 5, 6, 7, 8

BIG 6 RACES 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

TRACK: Soft (5) RAIL: Out 3m

RACE 1 Bivouac First Yearlings 1100m 6.00 EQ1

\$60,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$19250. 2yo Maiden. Apprentices can claim.

1	STIRRUP CUP (8)	A Hyeronimus	58	\$14.0
2	7 ABOVE FORTY (8)	S Clipperton	57.5	7.00
3	2 MISS PIERA (8)	D Gibbons (a)	57	*4.80
4	BRONCO REVOLUTION (8)	T Sherry	56	8.00
5	ELEGANT ARTIST (8)	K McEvoy	56	11.00
6	GOOD SORT (8)	J Mc Donald	56	10.00
7	MRS MAREE (8)	T Schiller	56	5.50
8	RAG QUEEN (8)	J Collett	56	8.50
9	TASSET NEFERU 2	Ms M Weir	56	14.00
10	7 VOILE (8)	T Berry	56	5.00

MISS PIERA 1, Voile 2, Mrs Maree 3, Bronco Revolution 4.

RACE 2 Kia Ora Prague Hcp 1100m 6.30 EQ2

\$60,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$19250. 3yo Fillies Maiden. Apprentices can claim.

1	2 IT'S A WONDER (8)	J Ford	59	6.50
2	AL FLORES (8)	S Clipperton	58.5	16.00
3	FIDDLE (8)	Zac Lloyd (a)	58.5	10.00
4	GIZA (8)	T Berry	58.5	8.50
5	SETOMBE (8)	J Mc Donald	58.5	8.00
6	SPEED PERSONIFIED (8)	N Rawiller	58.5	12.00
7	TYCOON DESHAUNA 11	A Hyeronimus	58.5	*4.80
8	ANGELS CLOUD (8)	T Schiller	58	34.00
9	42s ASSEMBLE (8)	R Bayliss	58	11.00
10	35s IMPULSIVITY (NZ) 3	D Gibbons (a)	58	26.00
11	580s OCEAN DIVA (NZ) 4	Ms M Bourke (a3)	58	34.00
12	49s TE PANI 10	K McEvoy	57.5	12.00

Emergency

TYCOON DESHAUNA 1, Yvette 2, It's A Wonder 3, Setombe 4.

RACE 3 Inglis Buy The Horse You Dream 1100m 7.00 EQ3

\$60,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$19250. Maiden. Apprentices can claim.

1	MAGIC LEPRECHAUN (NZ) 1	T Berry	59	12.00
2	23s PARMEIO 10		57.5	8.00
3	TRISKE LION (NZ) 2	T Sherry	57.5	13.00
4	JAMAS 6	Ms M Bourke (a3)	57	18.00
5	85s LONHANOVA 9		57	26.00
6	45s AUS BRED MIMOSA 5	J Ford	56.5	8.50
7	55s CAPEBYRON (8)		56.5	10.00
8	55s BATTLEFIELD (8)		56	*3.80
9	45s DECISEVELY 7	J Mc Donald	56	18.00
10	3 YVETTE (8)	J Collett	56	4.80
11	444s DAS CAPITAL 8		54.5	18.00
12	37s ANINI 11	P Willis	54	18.00

Emergency

BATTLEFIELD 1, Yvette 2, Parmenio 3, Ausbred Mimosa 4.

RACE 4 TAB Handicap 1250m 7.30 EQ4

\$60,000. 3yo & up Mares Benchmark 72. Apprentices can claim.

1	116s EDNA (dwn) 4	Ms M Bourke (a3)	60.5	4.00
2	424s MOLLY NAILS w 2	J Mc Donald	59	*3.20
3	328s LOOK ONLY w 1	B Ryan	58.5	8.00
4	667s FM DIVINE w 8	R Jones	58	12.00
5	850s TERRAMEADES dw 7	D Gibbons (a)	58	6.00
6	49s WOLVES w 6	Zac Lloyd (a)	54	6.50
7	357s NOTTHATEASY w 3	J Ford	54	11.00
8	448s MOSHUP (dwn) 5	Ms M Owen (a3)	54	12.00

MOLLY NAILS 1, Edna 2, Terrameades 3, Wolves 4.

TRACK DATA

CIRCUMFERENCE: 1567m. STRAIGHT: 308m. DIRECTION: Clockwise. LEADING JOCKEY (with rides today): JB McDonald (21 wins past 12 mths). LEADING TRAINER (with runners today): C J Waller (28 wins past 12 mths). FAVS RECORD (past 3 yrs): 32.99% Win 34.03% place. BEST BARRIER (past 3 yrs): 1550m (1)-20 wins. TRAINER CHANGES: Nil.

ON SKY RACING 1 & SKY THOROUGHBRED CENTRAL

RACE 5 Ranvet Handicap 1900m 8.00 Q1

\$60,000. BOBS Extra Bonus Available \$11,250. 4yo & up Benchmark 72. Apprentices can claim.

1	3411 ROMA AVENUE w 2	Zac Lloyd (a)	61	*3.20
2	s132 EDMOND w 6	N Rawiller	60.5	5.00
3	67s1 MCGEEHAN (8) dwn 1	D Keenan	60	12.00
4	1171 HEIKA (8)		59	8.00
5	6711 MONARCHS BRAE (IRE) dwn 5	T Berry	58.5	5.50
6	7165 COSMIC FIELD w 11	M Bell	58	11.00
7	2615 THE ENGLISHMAN (NZ) w 4	T Schiller	58	18.00
8	953 ANGEL OF LIGHT (8) w 9	J Ford	56.5	16.00
9	8321 FOUR O'CLOCK KNOCK (NZ) w 7	Jett Stanley (a2)	56.5	21.00
10	2548 FUN SUNDAY dwn 3	T Sherry	56	18.00
11	8425 MASTER COPY (IRE) b 10	J Collett	56	10.00

ROMA AVENUE 1, Edmond 2, Monarchs Brae 3, Heika 4.

RACE 6 James Squire Hcp 1550m 8.30 DD1Q2

\$60,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$19250. 3yo & up F&M Benchmark 64. Apprentices can claim.

1	65s SOPHIA'S MAGIC (NZ) tw 7	T Berry	61.5	14.00
2	829 STAR IMPACT w 8	Jett Stanley (a2)	61	12.00
3	4323 CRYSTAL WATERS w 4	Z Wladick (a3)	60.5	6.00
4	3s61 QIREBON 6	R Jones	60	12.00
5	s214 GOLD PATTERN w 9	N Rawiller	60	4.00
6	s121 BANGETTA (8)	D Gibbons (a)	58.5	*3.20
7	737s SKY DIAMONDS w 3	T Sherry	58	16.00
8	4s1 MARE OF MT BULLER (8)	J Mc Donald	57.5	10.00
9	8924 PRESS LIGHTLY 1	Zac Lloyd (a)	55.5	11.00
10	643 BEEN VANE w 10	J Ford	54	12.00

BANGETTA 1, Gold Pattern 2, Crystal Waters 3, Mare Of Mt Buller 4.

RACE 7 Kia Evening Star Hcp 1550m 9.00 Q3

\$80,000. 5yo & up Benchmark 72. Apprentices can claim.

1	150s IMRAHOR (GB) w 2	Jett Stanley (a2)	63	8.50
2	8873 GLOUNT HAUNE (IRE) 12	N Rawiller	62.5	14.00
3	s623 TARAASHOQ (GER) tw 4	J Collett	60.5	*4.00
4	6566 THE BIG SHORT (FR) w 1	J Mc Donald	60	12.00
5	1579 ZAMBROGO w 5	R Jones	57.5	18.00
6	0235 BLACK DUKE w 8	K Jennings	57	8.00
7	2143 REBEL'S EDGE w 9	D Gibbons (a)	55.5	14.00
8	65s SOPHIA'S MAGIC (NZ) tw 7	T Berry	55.5	6.50
9	4323 CRYSTAL WATERS w 11	SCRATCHED	54.5	-
10	7837 SEETHING SIB w 6	Ms M Owen (a3)	54	18.00
11	1967 OBELIUS w 3	Zac Lloyd (a)	54	12.00
12	s085 MA NADALORIAN w 10	J Ford	54	18.00

TARAASHOQ 1, Sophia's Magic 2, Black Duke 3, Glount Haune 4.

RACE 8 The Agency Real Estate 1100m 9.30 DD2Q4

\$60,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$19250. 3yo & up Benchmark 72. Apprentices can claim.

1	5114 OXFORD VISION (dwn) 3	Z Wladick (a3)	64	12.00
2	3017 CHIEF CONDUCTOR (dwn) 8	A Hyeronimus	61	6.00
3	52s6 AMNESTY dw 5	Jett Stanley (a2)	60.5	16.00
4	1464 SHINES (dwn) 9	Zac Lloyd (a)	60.5	*4.80
5	00s8 COMMAND APPROVED w 11	K Mc Evoy	60	14.00
6	6305 DELEKO w 10		60	16.00
7	0s0s BURNING CROWN dw 4	Ms M Bourke (a3)	59.5	11.00
8	46s5 ORLANT dw 12	SCRATCHED	58	-
9	580s WINGARDIUM dw 2	J Collett	58	18.00
10	0022 FLYING SULTAN 1		56.5	14.00
11	3147 OUTREACH TO HENRY dw 13		56.5	12.00
12	185s DAKOTA V ROOM dw 6	T Berry	55.5	6.00

Emergency

SHINES 1, Dakota V Room 2, Chief Conductor 3, Command Approved 4.

Note: Official start times correct at time of printing.

ON SKY RACING 1 & SKY THOROUGHBRED CENTRAL

DAILY DOUBLE RACES 6 & 8

TAB FIRST 4 ALL RACES

EARLY QUADDIE RACES 1, 2, 3, 4

TREBLE RACES 5, 6, 7, 8

QUADDIE RACES 5, 6, 7, 8

TRACK: Soft (6) RAIL: Out 5m from the 1400m W/Post, then true the remainder

RACE 1 ICG Construction Group 1600m 1.15 EQ1

\$30,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Maiden. Apprentices can claim.

1	46 RICCIUTO 7	J Richards	59	\$11.0
2	74 GOOFINATOR (8)	B Ward	58	7.00
3	5096 ABSOLUTE VICTORY 8	M Heagney	57	13.00
4	8076 CHURCHILL BAY 5		57	17.00
5	4555 GALAXY REIGN 6		57	3.50
6	s069 MAKTA BI (8)	B Owen	57	5.00
7	8780 MANHATTAN VALLEY 4	D Besley	57	15.00
8	2727 TEN FEATHERS b 1	N Souquet	57	*2.75

GALAXY REIGN 1, Ten Feathers 2, Maktabi 3, Goofinator 4.

RACE 2 Specsavers Wagga Wagga 1200m 1.50 EQ2

\$27,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Maiden. Apprentices can claim.

1	63 FREDDY'S SHOCK 9	SCRATCHED	58	-
2	35 AUGUSTAMON 4		57.5	7.00
3	s52 LAUNCH MODE 3	J Richards	57	*4.00
4	9s96 SAKIMARJUEL 2	R Bensley	56.5	11.00
5	55 VICTORY IS SWEET 6	B Ward	56.5	9.00
6	55 AFTER THE ONE (8)		56	6.00
7	7s58 ISTORIA GIRL (8)	S Guymer	56	5.50
8	3676 OUR FRANKIE 7	Ms K Nisbet	56	7.00
9	4725 SHALL WE PLAY 1	N Souquet	56	5.00

LAUNCH MODE 1, After The One 2, Istoria Girl 3, Shall We Play 4.

RACE 3 A. Malone Constructions 1000m 2.25 EQ3

\$27,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Benchmark 66. Apprentices can claim.

1	2583 BOLD OFFA (dwn) 3	Ms E Ly (a3)	61.5	11.00
2	52s5 DEMANDING MO (dwn) 8	J Martin	61	*3.00
3	1532 LIGHT PRESS d 4	B Ward	61	4.50
4	3124 MOOSHAKA (dwn) 7	B Owen	59.5	8.00
5	85s PROJETO dw 9	S Miller	59.5	6.00
6	4836 RUSSIAN ASSASSIN w 6	S Guymer	59	11.00
7	1651 TORONTO RAIN d 2		58	9.00
8	487s JUKEBOX FLYER w 1	Ms K Nisbet	57	13.00
9	3919 GOTTA PULSE dw 5		55	13.00

DEMANDING MO 1, Light Press 2, Mooshaka 3, Projeto 4.

RACE 4 Riverina Motor Group 1400m 3.05 EQ4

\$30,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Benchmark 58. Apprentices can claim.

1	3542 ELECTRIC STORM (dwn) 5	D Besley	61	*2.50
2	870s SAINT HENRY w 10	Ms E Ly (a3)	60	34.00
3	s134 ARANCIONE d 7	R Bensley	58.5	9.00
4	s53 PEAK ROAD dw 1		58.5	3.00
5	7s87 DECKER w 3	N Souquet	57.5	41.00
6	3654 SOOBOOGELISIOUS d 9	Q Krogh	57.5	7.00
7	19s TWISTED QUIXOTE (dwn) 8		57.5	13.00
8	8152 LITTLE COMPLICATED w 2		56	21.00
9	1s38 SORRY SUNSHINE (dwn) 6	MA Cahill	56	17.00
10	2s41 BANGALEE MIST (dwn) 4	J Richards	55	21.00

YOU'RE ON MUTE 1, Electric Storm 2, Soobogelicious 3, Arancione 4.

RACE 5 Workforce Aus Super Mdn Pk 1000m 3.40 Q1

\$50,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Maiden SW. Apprentices can claim.

1	s232 BOBOTOV b 2	N Souquet	59	*3.50
2	2673 LAKEHUME 7		59	21.00
3	ACHESON (8)	J Martin	57.5	17.00
4	63 FREDDY'S SHOCK 1		57.5	11.00
5	GHOST WALKER 3	S Guymer	57.5	13.00
6	43 SWEET CHARLIE 11	S Miller	57.5	5.00
7	32 KADA BLAZE 9	J Kissick	57	9.00
8	MIGJET 4	N Heywood	57	7.00
9	42 SMART AS GRACE 10	MA Cahill	57	6.00
10	COMPLETELY PACKAGE (8)	J Van Overmeire	55.5	17.00
11	6 TROPICAL BREEZE (8)	D Besley	55.5	11.00

BOBOTOV 1, Sweet Charlie 2, Smart As Grace 3, Migjet 4.

BALLINA RACES Friday

Tips by Robert Kingston
TAB CODE: ER

ON SKY RACING 1 & SKY THOROUGHBRED CENTRAL

DAILY DOUBLE RACES 6 & 8

TAB FIRST 4 ALL RACES

EARLY QUADDIE RACES 1, 2, 3, 4

TREBLE RACES 5, 6, 7, 8

QUADDIE RACES 5, 6, 7, 8

TRACK: Good (3) RAIL: Out 3m from the 1000m-250m cutaway Applies, true the remainder

RACE 1 XXXX Gold 1010m 1.35 EQ1

\$22,000. BOBS Silver Bonus Available Up To \$9625. Benchmark 66. Apprentices can claim.

1	716s DEEP BLAST dw 7	R Thorburn (a3)	62.5	\$4.00
2	8322 THE BILLIONAIRE d 8	P Hammersley	62.5	*3.00
3	2184 HAMAKI db 3	Jai Williams (a)	61.5	9.00
4	4617 LADY TULESSA (dwn) 4	Ms M Fitzgerald (a2)	60.5	11.00
5	110s LUCIFER'S LOOT (dwn) 2	L Rolls	60.5	9.00
6	2139 GEE BEEESS w 5	S Cormack	59.5	11.00
7	030s ALF'S MAGIC (dwn) 6	J Guthmann-Chester	58	5.00
8	1172 TECTONIC PLATE w 1	D Piesley	57	13.00

ROYAL RANDWICK RACES Saturday

Tips by Paul Jordan
TAB CODE: SR

ONSKY RACING 1 & SKY THOROUGHBRED CENTRAL

DAILY DOUBLE RACES 8 & 10

TAB FIRST 4 ALL RACES

EARLY QUADDIE RACES 3, 4, 5, 6

TREBLE RACES 8, 9, 10

QUADDIE RACES 7, 8, 9, 10

BIG6 RACES 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10

TRACK: Good (4) RAIL: Out 6m from the 1600m to the winning post, then out 4m for the remainder.

RACE 1 TAB Highway Handicap 1600m 2.30

\$120,000. BOB'S Silver Bonus Available Up To \$385.00. 3yo & up Class 3. Apprentices can claim.

1	1021 I AM GOOD AT THIS 12	N Rawiller	59	\$8.00
2	616 MAZITA d 1	A Morgan	57	5.00
3	5940 POSSIBLY SO w 3	A Cavallo	57	41.00
4	4213 FINAL COMMENT dw 2	Q Krogh	56.5	11.00
5	444 BURRANEER BUOY 4	T Berry	55	15.00
6	3812 ARRABBIATA w 10	Ms M Weir	54.5	18.00
7	3031 MAGIC PHAROAH d 10	T Sherry	54.5	14.50
8	1064 ROSSYSTYPAGIRL dw 9	Jett Stanley (a2)	54.5	18.00
9	2530 CHARMAN SUSTIN (NZ) dw 8	Ms M Bourke (a3)	54	10.00
10	7180 DISCREET LADY dw 11	Ms K Adams	54	26.00
11	0511 KAIHONO (B) w 15	K Mc Evoy	54	13.00
12	2434 LES GOH dw 14		54	21.00
13	7555 TWO AYE w 8	R Jones	54	16.00
14	2288 AMALFI AMORE 6	B Ryan	54	51.00
15	5651 LEPO dw 13	J Ford	54	21.00
16	3634 NOTHING'S SACRED (NZ) dw 17	D Gibbons (a)	54	26.00

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17	7564 INCANTATA dw 5		54	21.00
18	4555 GALAXY REIGN 16		54	16.00

MAGIC PHAROAH 1, Mazita 2, I Am Good At This 3, Chairman's List 4.

RACE 2 Toyota Forklifts Handicap 1000m 1.05

\$160,000. BOB'S Silver Bonus Available Up To \$385.00. 3yo & up Benchmark 78. Apprentices can claim.

1	2147 TRISTATE wh 5	LP Beuzelin	60.5	6.00
2	5174 OXFORD VISION dw 10	A Hyeronimus	60	8.00
3	5386 PERSEIDS dw 8	Zac Lloyd (a)	59.5	10.00
4	5596 FIRE dw 6	J Mc Donald	59	7.00
5	0515 EXPLORING dw 9	N Rawiller	58.5	13.50
6	5146 TINTONKIE dw 4	K Mc Evoy	56	4.50
7	0058 COMMAND APPROVED dw 3	T Schiller	56	16.00
8	3116 OUR KOBIS ON d 7	T Berry	56	11.00
9	1545 PITAVAGO dw 1	R Jones	54	31.00
10	0532 REBEL DEAN dw 2	B Ryan	52.5	26.00

EXPLORING 1, Tintonkie 2, Fire 3, Tristate 4.

RACE 3 Midway Handicap 1100m 1.40 EQ1

\$120,000. BOB'S Silver Bonus Available Up To \$385.00. 3yo & up Benchmark 72. Apprentices can claim.

1	3017 CHIEF CONDUCTOR dw 11		60	6.50
2	6305 DELEUX w 4	K Mc Evoy	59	16.00
3	3116 OUR KOBIS ON 2	N Rawiller	59	5.00
4	7532 PRINCE INVINCIBLE dw 3	R Jones	58.5	8.00
5	6759 XPRESSO dw 13	D Gibbons (a)	58.5	13.00
6	5323 LONDON dw 8	T Berry	56	10.00
7	0022 FLYING SULTAN 5	J Innes Jr	55.5	11.00
8	3151 HELLOVA NATURE (B) 1	J Collett	55	14.50
9	0856 WEALTHY INVESTOR w 12	A Morgan	54.5	18.00
10	9791 LADY SHENANGANS dw 9	Jett Stanley (a2)	54	21.00
11	3531 EYERONE'S A STAR w 7	T Schiller	53	14.00
12	4836 RUSSIAN ASSASSIN dw 15		52.5	18.00
13	8534 CESSOREE SLA w 14	J Ford	52	26.00
14	5516 AGAINST THE LAW 6	Zac Lloyd (a)	52	31.00

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15	0532 REBEL DEAN w 10	B Ryan	55.5	21.00
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HELLOVA NATURE 1, Our Kobis On 2, Chief Conductor 3, Prince Invincible 4.

RACE 4 Bisley Workwear Hcp 1300m 2.15 EQ2

\$160,000. BOB'S Silver Bonus Available Up To \$385.00. 3yo & up F&M Benchmark 78. Apprentices can claim.

1	2511 TERRAMATER dw 9	N Rawiller	59.5	2.80
2	1157 PRINCESSA (NZ) dw 7	R Jones	59	10.00
3	0486 AFRICAN DASH w 1	J Mc Donald	57	5.00
4	7839 SPEAK UP dw 2	J Collett	57	18.00
5	3152 ROCKEETER GIRL wh 3	R Bayless	56	7.00
6	5223 TSARINA SOPHIA w 4	Zac Lloyd (a)	55.5	6.00
7	4244 MOLLY NAILS w 6	T Berry	55	11.00
8	5342 EUREKA w 8	T Sherry	54.5	8.00
9	245 BOOTSCOOPER dw 5	Jett Stanley (a2)	54	21.00

TERRAMATER 1, Tsarina Sophia 2, African Daisy 3, Rocketeer Girl 4.

RACE 5 Precise Air Handicap 1500m 2.50 EQ3

\$160,000. BOB'S Silver Bonus Available Up To \$385.00. 3yo & up F&M Benchmark 78. Apprentices can claim.

1	1111 VEGAS OUTLAW w 8	G Buckley	59.5	4.40
2	1505 IMRAHOR (GB) w 1	Jett Stanley (a2)	59	7.00
3	5516 MONYOR FROM THE SKY dw 10	R Jones	58.5	10.00
4	1596 SKY OUT (IRE) 4	T Schiller	58.5	15.00
5	2521 RUNNING BY 7	J Collett	57	13.00
6	538 VINTAGE CHOICE (IRE) w 11	SCRATCHED	57	-
7	6122 TYMPANIST (NZ) w 3	K Mc Evoy	56	5.00
8	5549 ANYTHINK GOES dw 2	D Beasley	55.5	31.00
9	0845 CADETSHIP w 6	J Mc Donald	55	11.00
10	8416 BOWERY BREEZE tw 5	B Ryan	55	26.00
11	3512 BUILT w 9	T Berry	54.5	13.00

RUNNING BY 1, Vegas Outlaw 2, Tympanist 3, Imrahor 4.

RACE 6 3.25 (1600m)

1. CADETSHIP (C J Walker) 4G By Merchant Navy - Begant Air (92-2-3). On return from break finished 1 len 4th of 11 (11) \$26,000.55 Robusto 1000m Randwick 3yo (Bm78) Soft (5) Dec 23. Just behind the placetakers here first up. Fitter. Drawn favourably. In the mix.

2. BUILT (C J Walker) 4G By I Am Inevitable - Gargua (79-3-14). Made up late for 2 len 2nd of 9 (1) \$6,000.50 Bellicose Kids 1600m Randwick 3yo (Bm74) Soft (5) Dec 23. Finished solidly to place here at latest. In the mix among the better chances.

3. EAU DE VIE (Richard & Will Freedman) 4M By Sntzel - Cest Beau La Vie (23-2-3). Claimed 1 len win of 5 (3) \$3,700.50 Eau De Vie 1600m Kembla Grange (Bm68) Good (4) Dec 9. Since registered 8 len 6th of 10 (6) Jungera 1000m Rosell 3yo (Bm71) Soft (5) Dec 29. Freshened. Dug deep to catch at Kembla Grange last time. Worth some thought.

4. OWEN COUNTY (Brad Widdup) 4G By Dundell (NZ) - Alleged Encounter (14-2-0-2). Batted away for 8 len 6th of 9 (8) \$3,100.50 Bellicose Kids 1600m Randwick 3yo (Bm74) Soft (5) Dec 23. Ordinary in similar class here last start. Looking elsewhere.

5. MATUSALEM (C J Walker) 3C By The Autumn Sun - Mrs Dodwell (21-1-1). Took up a midfield position when 2 len 4th of 9 (5) \$3,700.50 Bellicose Kids 1600m Randwick 3yo (Bm74) Soft (5) Dec 23. Worst tail that far away here last time. Each way.

6. FLAMIN ROMANS (C Maher & D Eustace) 4G By Ghibelines - Inferno (NZ) (21-1-0). Scored 1/4 len win of 8 (1) \$1,700.50 Flamin Romans 1500m Bendigo 3yo - Mdn Plate Good (4) Dec 12. Beautifully ridden in front and kept on courageously at short odds at Bendigo last start. Each way.

7. POGACAR (Sam Kavanagh) 4G By Piero - Lasqueti (31-0-0). On return from break finished 4 len 6th of 11 (5) \$3,100.60 Little Beginnings 1500m Beaumont & G (Bm64) Soft (7) Dec 26. Not keen.

8. MAGNEAR (Sam Kavanagh) 4G By Wooten - Cries And Whistles (51-1-1). Slowly away when 4 len 6th of 10 (10) \$2,200.50 Sir Arthur 1000m Hawkesbury Hcp (C) Good (4) Dec 10. Freshened. Coming off an average run in similar class at Hawkesbury last time out. Good draw. Each way.

9. VOMO ISLAND (P & P Snowden) 3G By Dundell (NZ) - The Darling One (71-1-3). Sound when 1/4 len 5th of 8 (7) \$2,300.50 Pioneer Lass 1400m Kembla Grange (Bm64) Good (4) Dec 14. Freshened. As behind the placetakers at Kembla Grange last start. Ready for this trip now. Consider.

10. AMBASSADORS (Nathan Doyle) 4G By Zoustar - Blueberry Smoothie (USA) (13-2-12). Eased near 1200m when 1 len 4th of 8 (5) \$4,800.50 Ambassadors 1600m Kembla Grange Hcp (C) Good (4) Dec 14. Freshened. Terrific effort from from off the pace at Kembla Grange last start. One for exotics.

RACE 6 James Squire Hcp 1600m 3.25 EQ4

\$160,000. BOB'S Silver Bonus Available Up To \$385.00. 3 & 4yo Benchmark 72. Apprentices can claim.

1	0845 CADETSHIP w 2	N Rawiller	59	9.00
2	3512 BUILT dw 5	J Mc Donald	58	4.80
3	2101 EAU DE VIE d 7	J Collett	57.5	11.00
4	6676 OWEN COUNTY tw 1	J Ford	55.5	26.00
5	1814 MATUSALEM (B) 11	T Berry	55	5.50
6	21 FLAMIN ROMANS (NZ) 12	Zac Lloyd (a)	55	6.00
7	5056 POGACAR w 8	G Buckley	55	21.00
8	5216 MAGNEAR 4	A Morgan	54.5	8.00
9	4051 VOMO ISLAND (B) hb 9	K Mc Evoy	54	7.00
10	3076 AMBASSADORS d 6	D Gibbons (a)	54	13.00
11	5612 CARING LASS dw 10	T Schiller	53.5	15.00
12	5114 YOUR NOT THE BOSS w 3	J Innes Jr	53.5	16.00

BUILT 1, Flamin Romans 2, Matusalem 3, Magnear 4.

RACE 7 EGROUP Protective Services 1400m 4.00 Q1

\$160,000. BOB'S Silver Bonus Available Up To \$385.00. 3yo & up Benchmark 88. Apprentices can claim.

1	0505 ART CADEAU d 10	Jett Stanley (a2)	60.5	31.00
2	6101 FELIX MAJESTIC d 9	Ms M Bourke (a3)	58.5	9.00
3	0454 MATUSALEM d 10	D Gibbons (a)	58	8.50
4	2545 HELLSING (IRE) w 7	J Mc Donald	57.5	3.80
5	5721 ROBUSTO tw 4	T Berry	57.5	9.00
6	6112 DANAUSTAR dw 10	J Collett	57	12.00
7	2115 REDSTONE WELL (IRE) w 8	A Hyeronimus	57	19.00
8	7541 EXCELLADUE dw 5	S Clipperton	55.5	10.00
9	6561 COOL JAKE w 3	T Schiller	53.5	2.70
10	7896 MAHAGONI (GB) dw 1	K Mc Evoy	53	101.00

COOL JAKE 1, Hellsing 2, Felix Majestic 3, Robusto 4.

RACE 8 TAB Handicap 1200m 4.40 DD1Q2

\$160,000. BOB'S Silver Bonus Available Up To \$385.00. 3yo & up Benchmark 88. Apprentices can claim.

1	0509 CONSCRIPT dw 13	Jett Stanley (a2)	59.5	23.00
2	0586 ON THE LEAD dw 6	A Bullock	59.5	23.00
3	3251 KILLOCH dw 19	N Rawiller	58.5	14.00
4	3172 WITHYORBLESSING (NZ) d 10	R Jones	58.5	5.50
5	2574 DALAALAT d 10	J Collett	57.5	14.00
6	5374 DEHORNED UNICORN dw 4	S Clipperton	57.5	7.50
7	1808 MUNITIONS (USA) dw 11	T Sherry	57.5	51.00
8	2561 NOBLE SOLDIER dw 17	B Ryan	57.5	14.00
9	5457 FOX FIGHTER d 15	D Gibbons (a)	57	14.00
10	5635 SNEAKY PAIGE tw 1	T Schiller	56	14.00
11	5455 ANGPOW dw 16	A Hyeronimus	56	10.00
12	4250 GARRISON dw 2	J Ford	56	23.00
13	2651 LEGIO TEN w 7	K Mc Evoy	55.5	4.60
14	2519 WANDERER BUOY tw 14	J Mc Donald	55	7.50

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15	2583 STROMBOLI dw 9	Zac Lloyd (a)	54	7.00
16	5563 SO GOOD SO COOL dw 3	R Bayless	54	10.00
17	1123 SIRRAVANELLI (NZ) dw 12		54	21.00
18	3451 TIME TO BOOGIE dw 18	T Berry	57	3.90
19	2147 TRISTATE wh 8	LP Beuzelin	55.5	14.00

WANDERER BUOY 1, Time To Boogie 2, Legio Ten 3, Dehorned Unicorn 4.

RACE 9 Climate Roofing Hcp 2000m 5.20 Q3

\$160,000. BOB'S Silver Bonus Available Up To \$192.50. 3yo & up Benchmark 78. Apprentices can claim.

1	5232 ROGUE BEAR (IRE) w 5	B Osmond (a3)	60.5	9.00
2	4741 KETTLEHILL (GB) d 11	D Gibbons (a)	60	12.00
3	2757 TOO MUCH CAVIAR (NZ) d 15	R Bayless	59	12.00
4	5651 COMMANDER HARRY (NZ) d 13	N Rawiller	58.5	9.00
5	5655 BLAZING REBEL dw 6	S Clipperton	58	41.00
6	9863 MAJOR ARTIE (B) w 4		58	21.00
7	3411 ROMA AVENUE w 14	Zac Lloyd (a)	57	6.50
8	6111 KAPAKIRI (B) d 10	T Berry	56.5	5.00
9	1811 ENOTIS n 2	T Schiller	56	7.00
10	4623 AUSPICIOUS CLOUD w 8	R Jones	55.5	21.00
11	6651 MONFELICITY (NZ) tw 1	J Collett	55	12.00
12	6771 MONARCHS BRAE (IRE) w 16	SCRATCHED	54.5	-
13	2675 THE GUNGUNGA (NZ) wh 3	T Sherry	54	19.00
14	5134 LYRICAL GANGSTER (NZ) w 7	K Mc Evoy	53	9.00

EMERGENCIES

15	4021 LUMBER DREAM d 10	J Ford	52.5	81.00
16	1111 VEGAS OUTLAW tw 12	G Buckley	59.5	11.00

KAPAKIRI 1, Kettle Hill 2, Auspicious Cloud 3, Monfelicity 4.

RACE 10 Ranvet Handicap 1100m 5.55 DD2 Q4

\$160,000. BOB'S Silver Bonus Available Up To \$192.50. 3yo & up Benchmark 72. Apprentices can claim.

1	3156 SQUAD dw 7	Jett Stanley (a2)	60.5	10.00
2	5261 AMNESTY dw 9	N Rawiller	59.5	21.00
3	1261 BOSTON ROCKS (B) d 12	A Morgan	57.5	3.40
4	5805 WINGARDIUM dw 1	A Hyeronimus	57	13.00
5	4665 ORLANTEN d 10	D Gibbons (a)	57	15.00
6	5105 UNRAVEL w 10	A Bullock	57	16.00
7	1361 SHAKEN (B) dw 13	T Schiller	54.5	5.00
8	1855 DAKOTA VROOM dw 11	J Collett	54.5	26.00
9	8533 IMPACT FULL MISS w 5	Ms M Bourke (a3)	54.5	11.00
10	4866 OPTICOON 6	Zac Lloyd (a)	54	21.00
11	6465 OPTOBER ALLERIE (NZ) dw 2	B Ryan	54	41.00
12	2321 MISS EMMA (B) n 3	K Mc Evoy	53	6.50
13	1512 SPRING LEE (B) w 8	J Ford	52.5	8.00

BOSTON ROCKS 1, Shaken 2, Miss Emma 3, Spring Lee 4.

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RACE 7 4.00 (1400m)

1. ART CADEAU (T J Robinson) 7G By Arte Schiller (USA) - Jeweled Fate (29-7-2). Balanced up midfield when 11 len 2nd of 13 (6) \$4,100.50 S25 Detonator Jack 1600m Kembla Grange (Bm64) Soft (7) Dec 21. Let down well from back of the pack to place at Gosford last time out. Awkwardly drawn. Place claim.

GATTON RACES today

Tips by Stephen Rodgers
TAB CODE: BR

RACE 1 Happy New Year To All 2000m 210 EQ1

\$20,000. Benchmark 58. Apprentices can claim.	
1 5556 SEA TREASURES (NZ) w4	R Thoburn (a3) 60 \$5.50
2 6174 MAN OF HEART w2	C Sutherland (a3) 59 8.50
3 6653 PACKAGE d/cw6	M L Barr (a2) 57.5 5.00
4 4244 DELANEY'S GIRL d/cw3	J Taylor 57 *2.70
5 5788 DELAYED LAUNCH (NZ) dw5	M G Cartwright 56 12.00
6 2545 BOULT d/cw9	M Hellyer 55 5.50
7 0807 MOTTRAM w1	M C Vaddell (a) 54 13.00
8 5672 PERSIAN FRONT 8	M S Colett 54 21.00
9 5760 BOOG'S BOY 7	M E Pomfret (a3) 54 19.00

DELANEY'S GIRL 1, Package 2, Man Of Heart 3, Delayed Launch 4.

RACE 2 Gatton Goodyear Autocare 860m 2.45 EQ2

\$22,000. Maiden. Apprentices can claim.	
1 GUNNABEREADY 4	L J Miller 60 101.00
2 TITIVATE (NZ) 8	T D Thornton 58 41.00
3 4833 BRAVE SAILOR 6	M Hellyer 57.5 5.50
4 LADY DEVEGA 3	J Williams (a) 56.5 5.50
5 5322 BIZ CLASS 1	M O Kendal (a1.5) 56 *1.90
6 3849 PRINCESS LUTETIA 5	M S Colett (a) 55 5.00
7 3635 PRIDE OF NALA 9	M H Gillie (a2) 54.5 8.00
8 7053 EMPEROR TIO 7	M E Pomfret (a3) 54 71.00
9 6895 STARS AND PLANET 2	N Masada 54 12.00
10 6895 STARS AND PLANET 2	N Masada 54 12.00

BIZ CLASS 1, Brave Sailor 2, Princess Lutetia 3, Lady De Vega 4.

RACE 3 Barrier Reef Pools 860m 3.25 EQ3

\$20,000. Benchmark 60. Apprentices can claim.	
1 1265 BEAUTY BOOM d/c 4	M S Colett (a2) 62.5 *2.80
2 236 RIVER DANZKA n8	B Loy 61.5 6.50
3 1463 SONGZILLA d/c9	R Thoburn (a3) 60 4.60
4 7695 THE RATTLENAKE wn6	M T Noble (a3) 59.5 23.00
5 1545 LET'S DANCE JANDY w11	M H Gillie (a2) 58 8.50
6 5279 CUSHY (NZ) w10	M O Kendal (a1.5) 57.5 51.00
7 1025 RUSSIAN DAVE d/cw2	N Tomizawa 57.5 13.00
8 2317 MISSY'S READY d/cn3	M S Colett 57 7.50
9 5515 DUCHESS OF MILAN n5	L Tilly 56.5 14.00
10 9515 SHE IS ALL MAGIC 7	M Cahill 56.5 6.00

Emergency

RACE 4 Harman Concreting 1600m 4.05 EQ4

\$20,000. Class 3. Apprentices can claim.	
1 1471 BASIL'S BOW d/cw8	C Meehan 60 4.60
2 4254 UNION SPIRIT w7	B Loy 59 *2.90
3 3557 MARTINI DANCER 1	L Tilly 58.5 12.00
4 5587 ENVIABLE b3	J Guthmann-Chester 58 4.40
5 5647 ALERT AND READY wn6	M S Colett (a2) 55.5 11.00
6 1644 LONGERY 10	M T Noble (a3) 55.5 15.00
7 5727 SCAPINI 4	M G Cartwright 55 5.00
8 8183 STRIKE THE NIGHT b2	T Marshall 54.5 26.00
9 8050 FORCE ME (NZ) w5	M O Kendal (a1.5) 54 101.00
10 3934 FEUDALIST w9	R Thoburn (a3) 54 41.00

UNION SPIRIT 1, Basil's Bow 2, Strike The Night 3, Scapini 4.

RACE 5 Maiden Handicap 1100m 4.40 Q1

\$22,000. Maiden. Apprentices can claim.	
1 0 BETTER EXCEED 7	P Hamblin 59 41.00
2 ABRACAZAM 14	D Smith 58.5 9.00
3 5022 ALL ABOUT LEWIS b17	M Hellyer 58 5.50
4 RAPT IN PINK 6	M O Kendal (a1.5) 58 14.00
5 4 WANTA WILLOW 11	M E Pomfret (a3) 57 101.00
6 2232 HERMANITA 19	M T Fenlon (a) 56.5 *2.30
7 STELLA ENIGMA 15	SCRATCHED
8 MADAME MOTH 12	M B Ainsworth 56 11.00
9 475 KELANOA 13	M E Lang (a) 55.5 6.00
10 465 LAYDOWN LILY 16	SCRATCHED
11 3849 PRINCESS LUTETIA 18	SCRATCHED
12 956 MANDALONG HELICAT 21	M S Savva 54.5 151.00

Emergency

RACE 6 Maiden Handicap 1100m 4.40 Q1

\$22,000. Maiden. Apprentices can claim.	
1 2744 DAYTONA GAL 5	M T Noble (a3) 55.5 5.00
14 4940 SCOTTISH FARMER 4	55 21.00
15 5565 GUERNEY 20	56 151.00
16 2473 WORTHY ESSGEE 2	56 6.00
17 5569 ENUFF STOP IT 9	54 26.00
18 7605 NORTHWOOD POPPET 10	54 71.00
19 6057 INSPIRED SHADOWS 1	N Thomas 54 71.00
20 4864 VAN D'ORO 8	M H Gillie (a2) 54 12.00
21 9070 MISTY GOLD 3	54 101.00

ALL ABOUT LEWIS 1, Worthy Essgee 2, Hermanita 3, Daytona Gal 4.

HAPPY VALLEY (HK) RACES tonight

Tips by Medallity Racing
TAB CODE: ER

RACE 1 Class 4 1200m 10.10 EQ1

1 160 GOLDEN LONGS	M Chadwick 61
2 070 SUPER AXIOM 9	Y L Chung (a2.5) 59.5
3 702 KING EXCELLENCE 4	K Testan 58
4 2 TRUMPET BOOM (IRE) 1	J O'Connell 58
5 3 BEAUTY INFINITY 2	A Alzani 57.5
6 00 HAPPY FEELING 1	A Hamelin 56
7 050 LADY BILLIES	A Badd 53.5
8 00 SPICY SODAS 6	H Bendley 53
9 406 ACE TALENT (NZ) 5	Lyle Hewison 52.5

GOLDEN LONGS 1, Trumpet Boom 2, Beauty Infinity 3, Ace Talent 4.

RACE 2 Class 4 1200m 10.40 EQ2

1 980 YOUTH POWER (ITY) 5	K Cleung 61
2 097 ROYAL PRIDE 3	C Y Ho 58.5
3 028 TRAVEL GOLF (GB) 12	B Adda 58.5
4 5 FLYING PHANTOM 7	A Badd 57.5
5 LUCKY SYMPHONY 6	A Alzani 57.5
6 604 HAPPY SOUL 8	J Chai (dnt) 56.5
7 54 NEW POWER (NZ) 9	A Hamelin 56.5
8 506 MY INTELLIGENT 1	Lyle Hewison 53
9 604 SHINKANSEN 4	K Testan 52.5

COLONEL 1, Flying Phantom 2, Happy Soul 3, My Intelligent 4.

RACE 3 Class 5 1650m 11.10 EQ3

1 880 BIG TWO (IRE) 11	H Bentley 61
2 079 TACTICAL (NZ) 10	N Chadwick 61
3 368 ASANONE (NZ) 10	A Alzani 61
4 790 HAPPY HUNK (NZ) 3	K Cleung 60.5
5 375 CORDYCEPS 019	C Y Ho 60
6 232 REGENCY HAPPY STAR 12	Y L Chung (a2.5) 59.5
7 236 HAPPY JAI JAI (NZ) 8	J Chai (dnt) 58.5
8 04 ONE HEART ONE (NZ) 4	Lyle Hewison 57.5
9 623 MELODY ELITE (NZ) 7	A Badd 57
10 130 HANGS ON (IRE) 6	K Testan 54.5
11 508 MISTERA 11	HT Mo (dnt) 53
12 555 JOYFUL CHAMPION (GB) 2	HT Mo (dnt) 52.5

ASIAN ONE 1, Happy Jai Jai 2, Cordyceps One 3, Joyful Champion 4.

RACE 4 Class 4 1000m 12.10am Q1

1 52 HARMONY FIRE 2	H Bentley 61
2 270 SERGEANT PEPPER 4	J Chai (dnt) 60.5
3 853 SAVVY DELIGHT (IRE) 8	K Testan 59
4 0 FALCON COURT 11	A Alzani 58.5
5 01 LIFE IS GOOD (FR) 3	Y L Chung (a2.5) 58.5
6 95 YEE CHEUNG SPIRIT 10	K Cleung 58.5
7 804 KOHLO ON EAST STAR 5	B Adda 58
8 05 SAME TO YOU 7	Lyle Hewison 57.5
9 721 OVER SUBSCRIBED 9	A Badd 57
10 507 BEAUTY DESTINY 1	M Chadwick 56.5
11 490 CURBENT SEVEN 6	M Chadwick 55
12 024 SUPER FAST DRAGON 12	Lyle Hewison 54.5

SAVVY DELIGHT 1, Harmony Fire 2, Kowloon East Star 3, Over Subscribed 4.

ON SKY RACING 1 & SKY THOROUGHBRED CENTRAL

DAILY DOUBLE RACES 6 & 8

TAB FIRST 4 ALL RACES

EARLY QUADDIE RACES 1, 2, 3, 4

TREBLE RACES 6, 7, 8

QUADDIE RACES 5, 6, 7, 8

TRACK: Soft (6) RAIL: True

RACE 6 Redmonds Pet Supplies 1100m 5.15 DD1Q2

\$20,000. Rating 55. Apprentices can claim.	
1 6176 MORDECAI 3	M Murphy 60 31.00
2 3545 PRYTOVINCEN 14	SCRATCHED
3 3545 PRYTOVINCEN 14	L Tilly 60 *
4 3915 JUNGLE FEVER 6	C Sutherland (a3) 59.5 5.50
5 4019 MORE MAX 2	M S Colett (a) 59 41.00
6 3081 NOW AND BEN 16	SCRATCHED
7 5231 TORRENTIAL d/cw13	K Yoshida 58.5 31.00
8 9666 GERTANIE 9	M Hellyer 57.5 31.00
9 7531 LESTER GIRLS 5	K H Zechner 57.5 6.50
10 4552 TOP BIRD d/cw8	M Cahill 57.5 5.00
11 1269 BUSH 15	M T Noble (a3) 57 126.00
12 1333 EYE WANTED 1	M S Savva 56.5 6.00

Emergencies

RACE 7 Benchmark 60 Hcp 1100m 5.55 Q3

\$20,000. Benchmark 60. Apprentices can claim.	
1 520 MR VISTA d/cw9	C Sutherland (a3) 64 11.00
2 1105 LUCIFER'S LOOT d/cw4	K H Zechner 63.5 13.00
3 7568 HOLIDAY DREAMS d/cw6	M T Noble (a3) 62 31.00
4 2365 RIVER DANZKA n16	SCRATCHED
5 1828 COPPER SUNSET d/cw1	P Hamblin 60.5 11.00
6 7574 COBURG n2	K Yoshida 60 6.00
7 1 KING KONG CRUZ n15	L Tilly 59.5 *3.00
8 5695 HE'S ESSENCE 14	SCRATCHED
9 1650 TRAIN ROCK tw3	Justin P Stanley 59 61.00
10 2995 MEHAJIR w8	T Marshall 58 10.00
11 5755 GERRY ANDER w10	SCRATCHED
12 9615 SHE IS ALL MAGIC d/cw11	SCRATCHED

Emergencies

RACE 8 Save the Date - Lady of Cap 1400m 6.35 DD2Q4

\$20,000. Benchmark 65. Apprentices can claim.	
1 7541 LEGEND OF ZORRO d5	M T Noble (a3) 62.5 23.00
2 5417 SLEIGH QUEEN d4	J Guthmann-Chester 59 *4.00
3 5730 WHISTLING SPIRIT d/cw11	M Cahill 59 8.00
4 5474 APPLE CROSS d/cw13	M E Lang (a) 58.5 23.00
5 8435 PRIVATE BANKER 18	B Loy 58.5 4.80
6 4254 UNION SPIRIT d/cw2	SCRATCHED
7 7534 SPIRIT'S CHARM d/cw14	L Tilly 56.5 8.00
8 454 DRAGON PINS n12	Justin P Stanley 55.5 10.00
9 8513 PACKER d/cw10	M Hellyer 55.5 5.00
10 1214 ZATTA STAR d/cw1	J Bayless 55 6.50
11 9384 MARCAIDA d/cw6	K Yoshida 54 16.00
12 1199 TOP BABE (NZ) d/cw7	M S Kiahnen (a3) 54 26.00

Emergencies

RACE 9 Save the Date - Lady of Cap 1400m 6.35 DD2Q4

\$20,000. Benchmark 65. Apprentices can claim.	
1 7541 LEGEND OF ZORRO d5	M T Noble (a3) 62.5 23.00
2 5417 SLEIGH QUEEN d4	J Guthmann-Chester 59 *4.00
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RACE 10 Save the Date - Lady of Cap 1400m 6.35 DD2Q4

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1 7541 LEGEND OF ZORRO d5	M T Noble (a3) 62.5 23.00
2 5417 SLEIGH QUEEN d4	J Guthmann-Chester 59 *4.00
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RACE 11 Save the Date - Lady of Cap 1400m 6.35 DD2Q4

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1 7541 LEGEND OF ZORRO d5	M T Noble (a3) 62.5 23.00
2 5417 SLEIGH QUEEN d4	J Guthmann-Chester 59 *4.00
3 5730 WHISTLING SPIRIT d/cw11	M Cahill 59 8.00
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Emergencies

RACE 12 Save the Date - Lady of Cap 1400m 6.35 DD2Q4

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1 7541 LEGEND OF ZORRO d5	M T Noble (a3) 62.5 23.00
2 5417 SLEIGH QUEEN d4	J Guthmann-Chester 59 *4.00
3 5730 WHISTLING SPIRIT d/cw11	M Cahill 59 8.00
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11 9384 MARCAIDA d/cw6	K Yoshida 54 16.00
12 1199 TOP BABE (NZ) d/cw7	M S Kiahnen (a3) 54 26.00

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RACE 14 Save the Date - Lady of Cap 1400m 6.35 DD2Q4

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1 7541 LEGEND OF ZORRO d5	M T Noble (a3) 62.5 23.00
2 5417 SLEIGH QUEEN d4	J Guthmann-Chester 59 *4.00
3 5730 WHISTLING SPIRIT d/cw11	M Cahill 59 8.00
4 5474 APPLE CROSS d/cw13	M E Lang (a) 58.5 23.00
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11 9384 MARCAIDA d/cw6	K Yoshida 54 16.00
12 1199 TOP BABE (NZ) d/cw7	M S Kiahnen (a3) 54 26.00

Emergencies

MT BARKER RACES tonight

Tips by Stephen Rodgers
TAB CODE: WR

RACE 1 New Year Celebration 1000m 5.04 EQ1

\$20,000. 2yo & up Maiden SW. Apprentices can claim.			120
1	2346 MOVING ON 7	M B Barok-Edwards	58 \$16.00
2	3022 PILBARA SONG 5	M L Staples	58 5.00
3	6624 BLAZEN STAR 4	M H Watson	58 *1.95
4	0576 PSYCHIC SESSION 8	M A Catrino (a3)	58 13.00
5	0759 WHITEHOUSE GOSSIP 6	SCRATCHED	58
6	5655 TROPICAL SUN 3	M M Derrick (a)	56 5.00
7	5424 BRONTE'S DREAM 2	SCRATCHED	56
8	43 FLICK THE SWITCH 1	M S N Faithfull	54.5 4.40
FLICK THE SWITCH 1, Blazen Star 2, Pilbara Song 3, Moving On 4.			

PENRITH HARNESS

Tonight

O/D DENOTES HORSE EXCLUDED FROM
BARRIER DRAW (C) - CONCESSION DRIVER (C3) -
CLAIMING CONCESSION DRIVER (MOBILE 6) STAND (7)
TIPS BY MEDIALITY RACING
ON SKY RACING 1



NSW TAB GUIDE
Daily Double: Races 5 & 7
Early Quaddie: Races 1, 2, 3, 4
Treble: Races 5, 6, 7
Quad: Races 4, 5, 6, 7
Big6: Races 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7

TAB CODE: SH

McCarthy has high hopes for Lockdown

MICHAEL DUMESNY
HARNESS RACING

METROPOLITAN racing returns to Tabcorp Park Menangle on Saturday night after going into recess over the Christmas and New Year period.

The break gave regional centres the chance to showcase their respective feature races which attracted healthy holiday crowds throughout the state.

2023 saw fantastic racing at Club Menangle, highlighted by the initial staging of the Eureka, which was won by South Australian mare Encipher.

Despite only attracting horse numbers to conduct a seven-race program on Saturday, the depth of quality is strong.

The PJ Hall Free For All is the headline race on Saturday and is littered with a raft of talented pacers, many of whom are on a path towards some of the feature races programmed for the Menangle Carnival in February.

Sydney's latest star on the rise, Hi Manameisjeff will be looking to build on his impressive form in the PJ Hall, after winning six of his seven starts for leading trainer Jason Grimson, his only failure being when he travelled to Melton and obviously did not handle the trip south.

No doubt connections will be hopeful of gaining a run in the \$1million Garrards Miracle Mile on March 9 and to do so, he will need to maintain his current form.

The gelding burst onto the Sydney scene in August last year when he ran the mile in 1:48.9 and his wins since then have all been strong.

The Belinda McCarthy-trained Bondi Lockdown is another former Victorian that seems to thrive when racing at Menangle, the stallion is second up from a spell on Saturday night since winning there on December 2.

That victory was clinical as after sitting one out and one back he hit top gear halfway down the lane to score by just under three metres in 1:50.9.

His driver Luke McCarthy was pleased with the six-year-old's return to the winner's circle and is confident that he can build on that leading into next month's carnival.

"He was great first-up," said McCarthy.

"He had not raced since a disappointing campaign during Queensland's winter carnival, and he felt really strong in the run."

"Saturday night's race will be a good test for him as it is quite a strong field with an abundance of speed in it."

Penrith will conduct a seven-race program tonight where the interesting runner is well bred filly, Tobefairtoy you in race two.

RACE 1 Penrith Zone 2 Young Woman Comp Feb 17 Pace 2125m 6.12 EQ1

NR up to 48 PBD/LSS Mobile \$9792



1. DEEDO (R A Hunt) 4 Horse By Betting Line USA - Amato N2 \$4216 (44-4-6-6). Raced wide early, eased early and held up for a run early in the straight when 20.5m 7th \$17 (R6). The Best Of You Penrith 1720m (156.4) R3655 race Dec 29. Covered extra ground early last start; should get a better run here.	4. 45367 DEEDO (R A Hunt) 4 Horse By Betting Line USA - Amato N2 \$4216 (44-4-6-6). Raced wide early, eased early and held up for a run early in the straight when 20.5m 7th \$17 (R6). The Best Of You Penrith 1720m (156.4) R3655 race Dec 29. Covered extra ground early last start; should get a better run here.	8. 58242 ULTIMATE AD (D S Waite) 6 Gelding By Aud and Reactor NZ - Has The Art \$25,704 (40-4-5-3). Finished 19.2m 6th \$6 (R5).	12. 58242 ULTIMATE AD (D S Waite) 6 Gelding By Aud and Reactor NZ - Has The Art \$25,704 (40-4-5-3). Finished 19.2m 6th \$6 (R5).
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DEEDO1, Bell Riverkid2, Turbo Tommy3, Ultimate Ad4.

RACE 2 TAB Venue Mode Ladyship Pace 1720m 6.44 EQ2

Mares NR up to 50 PBD Mobile \$9792



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RACE 3 Mates4harness Pace 1720m 7.15 EQ3

NR up to 53 PBD/LTW Mobile \$9792



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RACE 4 Bingo @ Club Paceway Every Wednesday Pace 1720m 7.45 EQ4 Q1

NR up to 53 PBD/LTW Mobile \$9792



1. SOUTHBOUND TRAIN (J S Rand) 10 Gelding By Bettors Beyond USA - Sugar Shack N2 \$10,041 (10-10-10-10). Finished 6.2m 4th \$19 (R1). Gee Oh De Penrith 1720m (158.9) R4861 race Nov 15. Then beaten 18.7m 9th \$14 (R1) Fear The Eagle Penrith 2125m (152.0) R4860 race Nov 23. Not racing well enough.	4. 86349 SOUTHBOUND TRAIN (J S Rand) 10 Gelding By Bettors Beyond USA - Sugar Shack N2 \$10,041 (10-10-10-10). Finished 6.2m 4th \$19 (R1). Gee Oh De Penrith 1720m (158.9) R4861 race Nov 15. Then beaten 18.7m 9th \$14 (R1) Fear The Eagle Penrith 2125m (152.0) R4860 race Nov 23. Not racing well enough.	8. 86349 SOUTHBOUND TRAIN (J S Rand) 10 Gelding By Bettors Beyond USA - Sugar Shack N2 \$10,041 (10-10-10-10). Finished 6.2m 4th \$19 (R1). Gee Oh De Penrith 1720m (158.9) R4861 race Nov 15. Then beaten 18.7m 9th \$14 (R1) Fear The Eagle Penrith 2125m (152.0) R4860 race Nov 23. Not racing well enough.	12. 86349 SOUTHBOUND TRAIN (J S Rand) 10 Gelding By Bettors Beyond USA - Sugar Shack N2 \$10,041 (10-10-10-10). Finished 6.2m 4th \$19 (R1). Gee Oh De Penrith 1720m (158.9) R4861 race Nov 15. Then beaten 18.7m 9th \$14 (R1) Fear The Eagle Penrith 2125m (152.0) R4860 race Nov 23. Not racing well enough.
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7. MINIMINE YET (D S Waite) 8 Mare By A Rocknroll Dance USA - Seven Point One NZ \$86,982 (12-15-10-19). Handy win \$34 (R5) defeating Cash And Bing 1.2m Menangle 1609m (154.6) R5358 race Dec 12 then handy win \$100.00 (R3) over Kenny N2 \$155,179 (14-14-10-22). Scored handily over Jasta Dragon 4m \$440 (R3) Penrith 2125m (159.0) R3652 race Dec 21 then eased early when 1.2m 3rd \$3 (R6) Playful Miss Penrith 1720m (155.8) R4657 race Dec 28. Finding best form again and proven in this distance range (5 wins).

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TIGER TOMMY 1, Swedish Meatballs 2, Art Of Grange 3, Mini Mine Yet 4.

RACE 5 Sky Racing Active Pace 1720m 8.15 DD1Q2

NR up to 68 PBD Mobile \$9792



1. IDEAL REDEMPTION (J D Graham) 5 Gelding By American Ideal USA - Redemption NZ \$50,038 (46-5-2-9). Eased early, raced wide late and checked when 8.7m 6th \$11 (R5) Swedish Meatballs Penrith 1720m (156.3) R3653 race Dec 21 then fought on well defeating Rocknroll Gig 0.3m \$60.00 (R1) Penrith 1720m (155.3) R4971 race Dec 28. Drawn well here and a leading chance on last start did win.	4. 35361 IDEAL REDEMPTION (J D Graham) 5 Gelding By American Ideal USA - Redemption NZ \$50,038 (46-5-2-9). Eased early, raced wide late and checked when 8.7m 6th \$11 (R5) Swedish Meatballs Penrith 1720m (156.3) R3653 race Dec 21 then fought on well defeating Rocknroll Gig 0.3m \$60.00 (R1) Penrith 1720m (155.3) R4971 race Dec 28. Drawn well here and a leading chance on last start did win.	8. 35361 IDEAL REDEMPTION (J D Graham) 5 Gelding By American Ideal USA - Redemption NZ \$50,038 (46-5-2-9). Eased early, raced wide late and checked when 8.7m 6th \$11 (R5) Swedish Meatballs Penrith 1720m (156.3) R3653 race Dec 21 then fought on well defeating Rocknroll Gig 0.3m \$60.00 (R1) Penrith 1720m (155.3) R4971 race Dec 28. Drawn well here and a leading chance on last start did win.	12. 35361 IDEAL REDEMPTION (J D Graham) 5 Gelding By American Ideal USA - Redemption NZ \$50,038 (46-5-2-9). Eased early, raced wide late and checked when 8.7m 6th \$11 (R5) Swedish Meatballs Penrith 1720m (156.3) R3653 race Dec 21 then fought on well defeating Rocknroll Gig 0.3m \$60.00 (R1) Penrith 1720m (155.3) R4971 race Dec 28. Drawn well here and a leading chance on last start did win.
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LUCKY BEACH BOY 1, Big Black Diamond 2, Chasing The Wind 3, Ideal Redemption 4.

RACE 6 Penrith Wednesday Markets Pace 1720m 8.45 Q3

NR up to 63 PBD/LTW Mobile \$9792



1. WELL SAID NUGGET (P H Rixon) 4 Gelding By Well Said USA - Say Yes Josephe \$22,572 (16-3-3-2). Caught the eye defeating Ripstone Snorter 4m \$160 (R2) Penrith 1720m (156.8) R3659 race Dec 14 then raced wide early when 11.7m 5th \$26 (R7) Towhaha Bachurst 1720m (155.5) R3658 race Dec 26. Covered extra ground last start; useful type and worth another chance.	4. 32375 WELL SAID NUGGET (P H Rixon) 4 Gelding By Well Said USA - Say Yes Josephe \$22,572 (16-3-3-2). Caught the eye defeating Ripstone Snorter 4m \$160 (R2) Penrith 1720m (156.8) R3659 race Dec 14 then raced wide early when 11.7m 5th \$26 (R7) Towhaha Bachurst 1720m (155.5) R3658 race Dec 26. Covered extra ground last start; useful type and worth another chance.	8. 32375 WELL SAID NUGGET (P H Rixon) 4 Gelding By Well Said USA - Say Yes Josephe \$22,572 (16-3-3-2). Caught the eye defeating Ripstone Snorter 4m \$160 (R2) Penrith 1720m (156.8) R3659 race Dec 14 then raced wide early when 11.7m 5th \$26 (R7) Towhaha Bachurst 1720m (155.5) R3658 race Dec 26. Covered extra ground last start; useful type and worth another chance.	12. 32375 WELL SAID NUGGET (P H Rixon) 4 Gelding By Well Said USA - Say Yes Josephe \$22,572 (16-3-3-2). Caught the eye defeating Ripstone Snorter 4m \$160 (R2) Penrith 1720m (156.8) R3659 race Dec 14 then raced wide early when 11.7m 5th \$26 (R7) Towhaha Bachurst 1720m (155.5) R3658 race Dec 26. Covered extra ground last start; useful type and worth another chance.
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RACE 7 Harness & Hooks Fishing Club Pace 2125m 9.18 DD2 Q4

NR up to 48 PBD/LSS Mobile \$9792



1. ESJAY THE NOMAD (J R Yee) 8 Gelding By Sportswinner USA - Step Up And Play \$260.00 (9-0-0-1). First start since spell. Poor effort finishing 8th \$101 (R5) Darknust Penrith 2125m (159.2) R3650 race Jun 29 then poor effort finishing 10th \$51 (R4) Fields Of Betany Penrith 1720m (159.6) R3650 race Jul 6. Back from a long spell and could need this run.	4. 76806 ESJAY THE NOMAD (J R Yee) 8 Gelding By Sportswinner USA - Step Up And Play \$260.00 (9-0-0-1). First start since spell. Poor effort finishing 8th \$101 (R5) Darknust Penrith 2125m (159.2) R3650 race Jun 29 then poor effort finishing 10th \$51 (R4) Fields Of Betany Penrith 1720m (159.6) R3650 race Jul 6. Back from a long spell and could need this run.	8. 76806 ESJAY THE NOMAD (J R Yee) 8 Gelding By Sportswinner USA - Step Up And Play \$260.00 (9-0-0-1). First start since spell. Poor effort finishing 8th \$101 (R5) Darknust Penrith 2125m (159.2) R3650 race Jun 29 then poor effort finishing 10th \$51 (R4) Fields Of Betany Penrith 1720m (159.6) R3650 race Jul 6. Back from a long spell and could need this run.	12. 76806 ESJAY THE NOMAD (J R Yee) 8 Gelding By Sportswinner USA - Step Up And Play \$260.00 (9-0-0-1). First start since spell. Poor effort finishing 8th \$101 (R5) Darknust Penrith 2125m (159.2) R3650 race Jun 29 then poor effort finishing 10th \$51 (R4) Fields Of Betany Penrith 1720m (159.6) R3650 race Jul 6. Back from a long spell and could need this run.
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TIGERS SPIRIT 1, Mercurius 2, War Western 3, Gotta Bling It 4.

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6. SET FOR SUCCESS (Benjamin Buckley) 7G By Ruseet - Mischief Night (8:0-0-0). First-up finished 12½ len 9th of 9 (7) \$61.00 55.5 Mirrored 1600m Bamsdale 3yo+ Mdn Plate Soft(6) Aug 21. Resuming. Expected to need this outing. Appears tested.
7. JUPUSHI (Shea Edlin) 5M By Kurashio - My Gypsy Jane (8:0-2-2). Wide throughout. Vetted - no abnormalities when 2½ len 6th of 10 (8) \$340.53.5 Albanian Thunder 1000m Yarra Glen 4yo+ Mdn Good(4) Dec 22. Wasn't all that far away here last outing. **SCRATCHED**
8. THALASSA (M Laurie) 4M By Magnus - Raula (1:0-0-0). Eased down. Stewards queried run. Poor recovery when 18 len 9th of 9 (1) \$61.00 56.0 Brung King 1000m Ararat 3yo+ Mdn Plate Soft(8) Apr 20. First-up. Previously trained by Lucinda Boyd. Disappointing debut performance. Cannot enter train.
9. WAYHERE (Bil Papazarian) 5M By Exosphere - Faraway Eyes (N2) (0-0-0-0). First Start. By Exosphere - Faraway Eyes (N2). No public trials to go on. Monitor betting moves.

RACE 3 2.30 (1209m)

1. BRIER (E Jusufovic) 4G By Spitz (N2) - Silver-screen Queen (1:0-1-0). Laid out on straightening. Lost a place when ½ len 2nd of 14 (7) \$340.53.5 Mainmanray 1200m Sale 3yo+ Mdn Plate Soft(5) Jul 23. Resuming. Not out of this.
2. FIRESTORM BOY (G Eare) 4G By Danerich - Firestorm Baby (7:0-1-1). Slowly away. Keen when 3 len 4th of 7 (7) \$700.58.0 Tilly Valley 1200m Pakenham Synthetic 3yo+ Mdn Synthetic Jul 22. First-up. Wasn't far away in Maiden company at Moe first-up last campaign. Rates highly. **SCRATCHED**
3. LOLLY MOON (John McVie) 4G By Rich Enuff - Lolly Delight (7:0-1-2). Eased near 800m. Vetted - no abnormalities when 3½ len 7th of 11 (4) \$10.00 59.5 Sateemanship 1400m Geelong 3yo+ Mdn Plate Good(3) Aug 11. First-up. Wasn't far away in Maiden company at Geelong first-up last campaign. Good draw. Each-way.

4. PRIDE OF PARAH (Patrick Kearne) 4G By Padi - Ouguel (JRN) (0-0-0-0). Makes debut here after ½ len 2nd of 7 (2) Ink Daddy 1100m Traralgon 2yo+ (Barrier Trial) Good(4) Dec 14. Trials (1:0-1-0). Washed being.
5. SKULFUL ARTIST (Mark & Levi Kavanagh) 3G By Trapeze Artist - Betty Delcous (1:0-0-0). Began awkwardly when 4½ len 4th of 7 (4) \$60.00 60.0 Frosty Dawn 1000m Kyneton 3yo+ Mdn Soft(5) Dec 14. Average effort at Kyneton on debut. Not out of this.
6. FOSSETTA (Matthew Brown) 4M By Wordsmith - Fine Dimple (7:0-1-2). Kept trying 7 len 7th of 11 (1) \$11.00 57.5 Chansie 1400m Cranbourne 3yo+ Mdn Plate Good(4) Dec 15. On the speed but ran out of petrol quickly at Cranbourne last time out. Can't have.
7. GIANTS REWARD (M W & J Hawkes) 4G By Reward For Effort - Rahywaya (5:0-2-0). Shifted in early stages. Vetted - no abnormalities when 7 len 5th of 9 (4) \$250.56.0 Steel Jenny 1200m Ballarat Synthetic 3yo+ Mdn Synthetic Jul 18. First-up. Tough alley in the mix.

8. LIP DE LAINE (J W Price) 4M By Ruisance De Lune (RSE) - Cloud Jumper (3:0-0-1). Slowly away. Held up near turn when 2½ len, 4½ len 3rd of 10 (3) \$26.00 57.5 Trapeze Warrior 1200m Cranbourne 3yo+ Mdn Good(4) Dec 15. Improved showing at Cranbourne first-up. **SCRATCHED**
9. KATERINI (C J Walker) 3F By Remade (N2) - Oriental Lady (GER) (0:0-0-0). Makes debut here after 1½ len 9th of 10 (9) Storm The Ramparts 800m Warwick Farm Barrier Trial Good(4) Dec 23. Trials (1:0-0-0). Showed little at trial appearance. Watch betting.
10. MISS WINSLEY (C & T Corsten) 3F By Shamus Award - Princess Titanic (N2) (1:0-0-0). Slowly away. Held up near 300m when 3½ len 4th of 9 (3) \$10.00 56.0 Major Share 1000m Terang 3yo+ Mdn Good(4) Dec 19. Far from disgraced at Terang on debut. Each-way.
11. GRILLIANO (Ben Will & J Hawkes) 4G By Trust In A Gun - Idina (4:0-0-2). Settleddiff when 1½ len 9th of 10 (2) \$80.00 59.5 Rockley Road 600m Ballarat Synthetic Mdn Plate Synthetic Jul 4. Prepared for this with 4 len 2nd of 8 (2) Orange Ear 1000m Benalla 3yo+ (Barrier Trial) Good(3) Dec 19. Resuming. Previously trained by Ben & J D Hayes. Awkwardly down. In the mix.

12. THREE JACKS (S V Brown) 4G By Squamosa - Heart To Heart (5:0-1-0). Lane when 6 len 11th of 11 (6) \$80.00 59.5 Coronation Ally 1200m Seymour 3yo+ Mdn Good(4) Dec 12. Went to line only fairly at Seymour last outing. Place hope.
13. TURN UP THE MUSIC (Simon Zahra) 3G By Inspiring - Songry (1:0-0-0). Began awkwardly when 6¼ len 6th of 9 (8) \$21.00 58.0 Midylanders 1200m Moe 2yo+ Mdn Heavy(5) Dec 6. First-up. Place appeal only.
14. NICOSIE GIRL (C J Walker) 3F By Nicosi - Milanese Girl (0:0-0-0). First Start. By Nicosi - Milanese Girl. Kicks off without a trial. Bears close watching.

RACE 4 3.00 (1968m)

1. ANTHURUM (M C Kent) 4G By Firenze (RSE) - Proacted (2:0-0-0). Began awkwardly when 3 len 4th of 10 (1) \$10.00 59.5 Enzedder 1400m Pakenham 4yo+ Mdn Good(4) Nov 16. Began awkwardly when 8 len 6th of 9 (7) \$120.00 59.5 University 1600m Moonee Valley 3yo+ Mdn Good(3) Dec 8. Freshened. Could drift some a turn of foot at Moonee Valley last time out. Place claims.
2. KNEITH (Gavin Bedgood) 4G By Mongolian Khan - Mont Fay (N2) (2:0-0-0). Began awkwardly when 1½ len, ½ len 3rd of 9 (3) \$3.00 59.5 Flying Pharaoh 2440m Geelong 3yo+ Mdn Good(4) Nov 19. Kept fighting when 1 len, 1½ len 3rd of 8 (5) \$24.55.5 Warrion Rebel 2460m Geelong 3yo+ Mdn Good(3) Nov 30. Freshened. Form solid. Gave away late after showing pace at Geelong last time. Can play a key role.
3. MITCHELLS FALLS (Rick Oza) 8G By Street Boss (USA) - Young Love (1:0-2-0). Worked right to the line for 1½ len 2nd of 10 (9) \$90.00 69.5 Ozide 1850m Kyneton Mdn Good(4) Nov 20. Kept grinding 5 len 5th of 12 (8) \$26.00 59.5 Bed Dog 2005m Moe Mdn Plate Good(4) Dec 8. Freshened. Has claims.
4. TAHITIAN WARRIOR (Matthew Brown) 4G By Tum Me Looke (N2) - High Bounce (2:0-2-1). Raced below expectations. Vetted - no abnormalities when 7 len 5th of 7 (5) \$2.35 59.5 Kanga 2200m Bamsdale 3yo+ Mdn Plate Good(4) Sep 3. Wide early stages when 4 len 9th of 10 (7) \$70.00 59.5 Mace Bon 1600m Cranbourne 4yo+ Mdn Plate Good(3) Dec 15. Went to line only fairly at Cranbourne first-up. Place.

TRACK DATA

CIRCUMFERENCE 1650m. **STRAIGHT** 280m. **DIRECTION** Anti-clockwise.
LEADING JOCKEY (with rides today): Liam Riordan (7 wins past 12 mths).
LEADING TRAINER (with runners today): D T O'Brien (3 wins past 12 mths).
FAVS RECORD (past 3 yrs): 26.78% Win, 42.08% place. **BEST BARRIER** (past 3 yrs): 1200m (4)-9wins. **TRAINER CHANGES**: R2 (8) was trained by Lucinda Boyd now M M Laurie. R3 (11) was trained by Ben & J D Hayes now Ben, Will & J D Hayes. R8 (4) was trained by P Stokes now C Maher & D Bustace.

5. ARTSPACE (T Bustin & N Young) 3G By Tavistock (N2) - Min River (3:0-0-0). Carried wide near 1000m. Raced wide without cover when 1½ len 5th of 10 (2) \$80.00 58.0 Interfined 1450m Kilmore 3yo+ Mdn Soft(6) Nov 26. Grouded at start when 1½ len, 6 len 3rd of 7 (3) \$18.00 58.0 Red Mile 1600m Cranbourne 3yo+ Mdn Good(3) Dec 22. Improved showing at Cranbourne last outing. Up in distance now among the dangers.

6. MARINERS DREAM (Annabel Neasham) 3G By Merchant Navy - Forty Winks (N2) (6:0-3-2). Battled away gamely 5th rk, 5th 3rd of 7 (7) \$420.58.0 Written By You 1750m Geelong 3yo+ Mdn Soft(7) Nov 30. Harped near 50m. Protested against, dismissed when 1½ len 2nd of 10 (7) \$185.58.0 Box Vale 2025m Cranbourne 3yo+ Mdn Plate Good(4) Dec 15. Primed to strike. Kept on determined to fill the mirrors at short odds at Cranbourne at latest. Take beating.

7. BACKLIT BEAUTY (J Kimmewell & L Yeomans) 4M By Written Tycoon - Yulong Baby (7:0-2-0). Held up near 400m when 7 len 4th of 9 (6) \$14.00 57.5 Of The Deep End 1600m Ballarat 3yo+ Mdn Good(3) Nov 15. Began awkwardly. Held up near 200m when 5½ len 6th of 12 (1) \$25.05.5 Bed Dog 6050m Moe Mdn Plate Good(4) Dec 8. Freshened. Just backed home last time out. Place claims.

8. OUR BONNIE MISS (J F Moloney) 4M By Highland Reel (RSE) - Darapair Starlet (8:0-1-0). Laid in straight when 2 len 6th of 11 (6) \$26.00 57.5 Gold Wolf 1600m Moe Mdn Plate Good(4) Dec 8. Fair effort in 2½ len 5th of 10 (8) \$26.00 57.5 Sambaucus 1968m Yarra Glen Mdn Plate Good(4) Dec 22. Fair effort without threatening here last time out. Right in this.

9. THE PARTING GLASS (Reece Goodwin) 4M By Tiaco - Alaba (RSE) (1:0-0-1). Keen when 10½ len 10th of 14 (14) \$410.00 57.5 Madoryo 1700m Sale Mdn Plate Good(4) Dec 23. Found the line intent for 4 len, 1½ len 3rd of 9 (4) \$11.00 52.5 200m Stony Creek Mdn Soft(7) Dec 29. On a quick back-up. Improved showing at Stony Creek last time out. In the mix.

RACE 5 3.30 (1968m)

1. INORDINATE (Gavin Bedgood) 6G By Onoratoronore - Miang (28:4-6-2). Kept fighting when 5½ len 2nd of 12 (7) \$10.00 61.0 The Yachman 1850m Kyneton 3yo+ (Bm64) Good(4) Dec 14. Keen. Held up near 400m when 1½ len 2nd of 8 (1) \$2.35 61.0 Dallyway 1968m Yarra Glen 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 22. Primed to strike. Worked home solidly to place at short odds here last start. Right in this.

2. LOTTAROC (D M Noonan) 5G By B Roca - Lotta Lux (N2) (8:2-3-0). Held up near 400m. Eased near 250m when 5½ len 6th of 11 (4) \$5.00 61.5 Greta Moon 1600m Moe 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 8. Began but not disgraced when 3½ len 7th of 10 (2) \$7.00 61.5 Nystrom 1540m Yarra Glen (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 22. Battled on fairly here at latest. One for multiples.

3. NOT A PROBLEM (Ms A Bennett) 7G By Canford Cliffs (RSE) - Last Quil (2:3-3-5). Rider connected with action. Vetted - no abnormalities when 12½ len 7th of 8 (5) \$15.00 54.0 Station One 1900m Traralgon Cup Soft(5) Dec 10. Ran home solidly for 1½ len 3rd of 8 (3) \$2.50 61.0 First Commandment 1540m Yarra Glen (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 22. Better effort here at latest. Must be considered.

4. THE ROOSTER (D M Noonan) 4G By Tornado (RSE) - Jood (9:1-1-1). Raced wide without cover when 1½ len, 1 len 3rd of 9 (6) \$6.50 58.0 Fik Blue 2050m Wodonga (Bm64) Good(4) Nov 24. Slowly away. Raced wide without cover. Tactics queried. Poor recovery when 9½ len 8th of 11 (10) \$9.00 61.0 Pittsburgh Pirat 2231m Geelong 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 15. Was safely held at Geelong last start. Lookers settled here.

5. TOSSEN GLORY (Ben Will & J D Hayes) 4G By Tossen Tholod (RSE) - Unhappy (9:1-1-1). Sound when 5 len 7th of 12 (4) \$210.00 61.0 Mes Athena 1900m Wodonga (Bm58) Good(4) Nov 24. Slowly away when 7 len 5th of 10 (6) \$9.50 60.5 Gelwen 2100m Benalla (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 15. Lacked a pick-up and only plugged to line at Benalla last start. Place appeal only.

6. TRADEWORK (Daniel Kelly) 4G By Ready For Victory - Say It In Song (1:1-2-2). Struck interference at start when 3½ len 7th of 14 (6) \$210.00 60.0 Tansu 1600m Swan Hill 3yo+ Hcp (58) Good(4) Nov 26. Eased down. Lane when 2½ len, 1½ len 2nd of 12 (5) \$18.00 60.0 The Yachman 1850m Kyneton 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 14. Lacked a pick-up and only plugged to line at Kyneton last start. Not fancied.

7. KHAN'S TREASURE (S V Brown) 5M By Mongolian Khan - Trilemma (N2) (28:3-1-2). Fair effort in 2 len 4th of 10 (3) \$14.00 60.0 Unlikely 2000m Ballarat 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(3) Nov 6. Began but not disgraced when 6 len 7th of 10 (10) \$21.00 54.0 Lib-lin Journal 2000m Caulfield 3yo+ (Bm64) Good(4) Dec 14. Place preferred.

8. VADARIE (Matthew Brown) 5G By Vadanos (RSE) - Strictly Time (N2) (16:3-3-4). Found the line intent for 3½ len 2nd of 9 (3) \$3.80 59.5 Not A Problem 1500m Yarra Glen Hcp (58) Heavy(5) Dec 2. Finished off well when 1 len, 3½ len 3rd of 12 (12) \$60.00 59.5 Gama Buzz 1700m Sale 3yo+ Hcp (58) Good(4) Dec 23. Picked up well from midfield to fill a place at Sale at latest. Can figure.

9. AMBERARINA (Ms C Anderson) 4M By Compliant - Marshall (N2) (10:1-0-0). Resumed with 4½ len 9th of 12 (9) \$10.00 56.0 Gail Himmy 1400m Sandown-lakeside 3yo+ Hcp (C) Good(3) Dec 6. Keen. Crowded near 100m when 1½ len 4th of 9 (6) \$11.00 56.0 Sobrook Star 1600m Cranbourne 3yo+ (Bm64) Good(3) Dec 22. Just behind the placetters at Cranbourne last outing. 3½ damer engaged. Up in distance now. **SCRATCHED**

10. BOLSHOI PRINCESS (Liam Howley) 4M By Russian Revolution - Gypsy Countess (RSE) (7:11-0). Keen when 1½ len 2nd of 11 (4) \$10.00 57.5 Del Campo 1980m Tatura 3yo+ Mdn Soft(5) Nov 25. Overcame early, middle stages. Saddle slipped when 3½ len 7th of 9 (8) \$4.00 57.5 Bobshoi Princess 1850m Kyneton 3yo+ Mdn Soft(5) Dec 14. Showed a fine turn of foot to score convincingly at Kyneton last outing. One of the major players.

11. TOSCANARISING (Mark & Levi Kavanagh) 4M By Real Impact (JRN) - Tusany Lady (10:1-0-0). On return from break finished 1½ len 10th of 10 (5) \$201.00 56.0 Bise May 1600m Sandown-lakeside 3yo+ (Bm64) Heavy(5) Jul 5. On return from break finished 4½ len 10th of 11 (8) \$101.00 57.5 Rosebird 1521m Geelong 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(3) Dec 15. Generally backs back in races. Cannot enter train.

RACE 6 4.00 (1514m)

1. TRELOAR (Luke Oliver) 5G By Real Impact (JRN) - Nubian (1:0-2-12). Slowly away when 4 len 7th of 7 (5) \$2.00 56.0 Port Luce 1200m Dundelf (Bm70) Good(4) Nov 18. Gave good sight 2 len, 1½ len 3rd of 8 (3) \$1.00 59.0 Extrap 1650m Traralgon (Bm64) Soft(6) Dec 10. Freshened. Turned in an improved performance at Traralgon last outing. Drawn off the track. In the mix.

2. FIFTYEVEN YEARS (Liam Howley) 4G By Street Boss (USA) - Belle Chantier (N2) (7:1-0-3). First-up finished 1½ len, 2½ len 3rd of 10 (9) \$5.00 57.0 Le Fernan 1400m Pakenham Synthetic 2yo+ (Bm58) Synthetic May 29. Raced wide without cover when 1½ len 3rd of 10 (9) \$5.00 57.0 Nystrom 1540m Yarra Glen (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 22. Made the running and kept on to just miss in similar grade here last outing. Fitter. Strong claims.

3. MAGNACE (D T O'Brien) 4G By Almsanzor (RSE) - Asertweobession (6:1-0-0). First-up finished 5½ len 10th of 16 (2) \$5.00 54.0 Albanian Am 1000m Remington 3yo Open Hcp Good(4) Jul 15. First-up finished 2½ len 4th of 12 (2) \$5.50 58.0 Fire Glo Top 2100m Sandown-lakeside (Bm64) Soft(5) Aug 6. Resuming. Comes to hand quickly. Decent alley. Back to country level. Each-way.

4. PAINTERED (Brett Scott) 2G By Battle Paint (USA) - Creme Glace (4:5-7-6). Crowded near 1200m. Overcame early stages. Inconvenienced near 100m when 1½ len 2nd of 7 (7) \$5.50 58.5 Lady Tino 1600m Mornington 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(4) Nov 14. Balanced up midfield when 4 len 10th of 14 (8) \$8.00 59.0 Fire Of Etra 1440m Seymour 3yo+ Hcp (64) Good(4) Dec 21. Went to line only fairly in similar grade at Seymour last time out. **SCRATCHED**

5. CRYPTIC CLUE (Matthew Brown) 4G By All Too Hard - Very Puzzling (6:1-0-0). Struck interference near 500m when 4½ len 10th of 11 (2) \$26.00 61.5 Ana Electra 1420m Sale 3yo+ (Bm68) Good(3) Oct 11. Fair effort in 5 len 12th of 14 (9) \$510.00 58.5 Fire Of Etra 1440m Seymour 3yo+ Hcp (64) Good(4) Dec 21. Went to line only fairly at this level at Seymour last start. Not fancied.

6. DELTA SKY (S V Brown) 4M By Tornado (RSE) - Au Fast (8:1-1-2). Began but not disgraced when 6½ len 8th of 9 (5) \$11.00 57.5 Ginger 1½ len 200m Sandown-lakeside 3yo+ Mdn Soft(5) Nov 29. Raced wide without cover. Tactics queried when 1½ len 7th of 9 (7) \$9.00 53.5 Delta Sky 520m Geelong 3yo+ Mdn Good(4) Dec 15. Up on the pace and responded well to score at Geelong last outing. Include among the better chances. **SCRATCHED**

7. ZALBANIAN KON (P Kouris) 4M By Heller - Brown Bontebel (B:1-1-0). Tied hard when 2 len 2nd of 11 (1) \$55.00 59.0 Greta Moon 1600m Moe 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 8. Eased near 200m when 6 len 7th of 11 (10) \$5.00 59.0 Forester 3yo+ 1850m Terang 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(3) Dec 19. Coming off an average run in similar company at Terang last outing. 1½ damer engaged. Drawn off. Not out of this.

8. KARATEMI SS (M J Eleton) 5M By Scissor Kick - Total Discretion (2:3-1-4). Held up near 400m when 1 len 4th of 9 (4) \$8.00 59.0 Tansu 1540m Kyneton 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 14. Slowly away when 1 len 6th of 10 (4) \$11.00 59.0 Nystrom 1540m Yarra Glen (Bm58) Good(4) Dec 22. Wasn't all that far away here last outing. Not likely.

9. REPAIRER (Jason Evans) 6M By Press Statement - Hot Streak (16:2-3-2). Began awkwardly when 2½ len 7th of 10 (2) \$5.50 52.0 Cydonie Sally 1600m Moe 3yo+ (Bm64) Soft(7) Sep 2. Kept trying 4½ len 5th of 10 (10) \$5.50 59.0 State 1600m Pakenham Synthetic 3yo+ (Bm58) Synthetic Oct 4. Steps fitter for 1½ len 4th of 7 (4) Ink Daddy 1000m Traralgon 2yo+ (Barrier Trial) Good(4) Dec 14. First-up. Drawn poorly. One for moses.

10. NEVADA SHOWGRL (T & C McVey) 3F By Boulder City - Bay Harmony (4:1-0-0). Keen. Harped near 60m when 1½ len 4th of 10 (8) \$21.00 56.0 Prevaled 1454m Kyneton 3yo+ Mdn Good(4) Nov 20. Positioned midfield when 1½ len 4th of 9 (2) \$4.20 56.0 Nevada Showgirl 1454m Kyneton 3yo+ Mdn Soft(5) Dec 14. Game win from off the pace at Kyneton last time out. 3½ damer engaged. Well placed from the perfect draw. Strong claims.

11. PORTO BELLO ROAD (A Rossini) 3G By Dream Ahead (USA) - Wodan (1:1-1-0). Eased down. Hung in throughout. Vetted - no abnormalities when 0 len 25th of 10 (4) \$610.00 64.5 Pueblo 3000m Pakenham Mdn Hrd Soft(7) Apr 18. First-up finished 10½ len 8th of 8 (4) \$101.00 54.0 Moss Moonshine 1600m Cranbourne 3yo+ Hcp (C) Good(4) Sep 28. First-up from lengthy break. Freshstarters don't flatter. Rank under. **SCRATCHED**

12. TORONOVA (M P Parkhouse) 5G By Tornado (RSE) - Miss Parlova (5:1-4-2). Fair effort in 2 len 6th of 8 (2) \$1.00 55.5 Akron 1500m Mornington 3yo+ (Bm64) Soft(7) Dec 18. Slowly away. Held up near 400m when 3 len 5th of 9 (5) \$11.00 55.0 Solbrook Star 1600m Cranbourne 3yo+ (Bm64) Good(3) Dec 22. Ran home respectably at Cranbourne last time out. Each-way.

RACE 7 4.30 (1009m)

1. MIDNIGHT DEVIL (E Jusufovic) 4G By Hellbent - New Summer Night (10:1-3-0). Began awkwardly when 1½ len 2nd of 11 (3) \$5.00 56.5 Dummy Spit 1200m Moe 3yo+ Mdn Good(4) Dec 8. Scored 5½ len 7th of 8 (5) \$2.10 56.5 Midnight Devil 1200m Cranbourne 4yo+ Mdn Good(3) Dec 22. Made a deal and careered away to an impressive win at Cranbourne last start. 3½ damer engaged. Take beating.

2. BOO'S REWARD (G W Egan) 5M By Reward For Effort - Thawabest (9:2-0-1). Battled away gamely 3½ len, 1½ len 3rd of 10 (3) \$12.00 61.0 Real Gun 1000m Benalla 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(4) Oct 30. Laid in straight when 2½ len 4th of 9 (9) \$9.00 61.0 Gold Musku 1009m Yarra Glen (Bm58) Good(3) Dec 22. Battled on fairly here last time out. Can play a role.

3. CITALEON (Simone Marine) 6G By Jimmy Creed (USA) - Leonora (1:2-2-2). Began fighting when 1½ len 2nd of 7 (1) \$5.00 59.0 Catalina Black Cat 1100m Traralgon 3yo+ (Bm64) Soft(6) Dec 10. Reasonable effort 6½ len 8th of 9 (4) \$26.00 59.0 Shalacark 1200m Cranbourne 3yo+ Hcp (64) Good(3) Dec 22. Just batted home in similar class at Cranbourne at latest. Awkwardly drawn. Cannot enter train.

4. FLYING FINCH (Reece Goodwin) 7G By Resident - Lims Falco (2:0-3-3). Inconvenienced near 500m. Inconvenienced near 400m. Checked near 200m when 10 len 5th of 9 (4) \$21.00 58.0 Moon And Back 955m Moonee Valley 3yo+ (Bm64) Good(3) Dec 8. Tied hard when 1 len, 1½ len 3rd of 7 (1) \$12.00 55.0 Scream 1000m Mornington 3yo+ Hcp (64) Good(4) Dec 28. On a quick back-up. Turned in an improved performance at Mornington last time out. 2½ damer engaged. Nice gate. Among the dangers.

5. VIDUKA (Ryan Balfour) 8G By Skyfar - Holy Connection (3:4-8-4). Began awkwardly. Last Ground when 1½ len, 1½ len 3rd of 5 (2) \$5.00 59.5 Sabemret 1100m Morphettville 4yo+ Hdp (Bm62) Good(4) Nov 2. Positioned midfield when 3½ len 9th of 12 (1) \$6.00 57.0 My Ruby 1000m Morphettville Park Hcp (64) Good(4) Dec 2. Freshened. Far from disgraced at Morphettville Park last outing. Place hope.

6. FROSTICK (M A Bell) 5G By Return (USA) - Margenta And Back (19:2-2-3). On return from break finished 5 len 4th of 9 (9) \$2.90 69.5 Steel Swaggar 1000m Wodonga Mdn Pic Trophy Heavy(8) Dec 2. Broke poorly (31). Warning - barrier matters when 5 len 9th of 9 (5) \$31.00 60.5 Gold Musku 1009m Yarra Glen 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(3) Dec 22. No appeal.

7. HYBRID MOMENTS (Patrick Kearne) 4M By Nicosi - Dream Of Glory (1:1-0-0). Eased near 200m when 1½ len 7th of 11 (2) \$5.00 57.5 Hybrid Moments 955m Swan Hill 3yo+ Mdn Good(4) Nov 25. Freshened. Impressive win at Swan Hill on debut. 2½ damer engaged. Can play a key role.

8. TOM THE STAR (Matthew Cumars) 2G By Pursance De Lune (RSE) - French Fox (29:2-7-6). Eased near 800m when 4 len 11th of 11 (1) \$10.00 57.5 France 1100m Geelong 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(3) Dec 2. Positioned midfield when 1½ len, 1½ len 3rd of 9 (1) \$10.00 58.0 Gold Musku 1009m Yarra Glen 3yo+ (Bm58) Good(3) Dec 22. Improved showing here last time out. 4½ damer engaged. Tough alley. **SCRATCHED**

9. ALBANIAN THUNDER (P Kearne) 4M By Magnus - Shil Pegasus (4:1-0-0). Began awkwardly. Raced three wide when 9½ len 8th of 11 (7) \$26.00 57.5 Narewell 1000m Warracrabed 2yo+ Mdn Plate Soft(8) May 20. Perceived incident. Passed hit at barrier when 1½ len 10th of 10 (2) \$20.00 56.0 Albanian Thunder 1009m Yarra Glen 4yo+ Mdn Good(4) Dec 22. Gritty on pace victory here first-up. 1½ damer engaged. Fitter. Consider.

10. PUDACIOUS (SPH chd) 4G By Rubick - Curvaceous (9:1-1-0). Slowly away when 3½ len 6th of 7 (2) \$10.00 56.0 Queen Of The Nile 1100m Hawkesbury Midway (Bm64) Good(3) Oct 8. Balanced up midfield when 4½ len 8th of 10 (6) \$12.00 55.5 A Good Yarn 1000m Cobac 3yo+ Hcp (5) Good(3) Dec 16. Coming off an average run in similar grade at Cobac at latest. Rank under.

11. OAKLBGH (R J Bessano) 5G By Nicosi - Blueatrice (2:1-1-1). Slowly away when 7½ len 7th of 11 (10) \$130.00 58.0 Hong Kong 1200m Yarra Glen 3yo+ Hcp (58) Heavy(10) Dec 2. Battled away for 3½ len 6th of 10 (2) \$81.00 54.0 Celestial Storm 1000m Remington 3yo+ Hcp (C) Good(4) Dec 20. Ran home respectably at Remington last start. Backmarker. Can't have.

RACE 8 5.00 (1209m)

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» **Quaddie:** 5, 6, 7, 8

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RACE 1 Hirsch Hill Estate Plate 1009m L30

3yo Maiden SW. Prizemoney: \$125,000, 1st \$20,625, 2nd \$6,750, 3rd \$3,375, 4th \$1,875, 5th \$102.5. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	LAST
1	BOYFRIEND MATERIAL	8	Colin Scott	Ms C Hefel (a)	58	\$26.00
2	IF I WAS YOU	7	Mark & Levi Kavanagh	J Childs	58	9.50
3	JUST BOLTS	2	Jamie Edwards	J Noonan	58	8.00
4	RANK'N'FILE	11	Ben, Will & JD Hayes	M Dee	58	*2.40
5	SAKASU	4	Clayton Douglas	Ms T Bull (a)	58	10.00
6	ABOVETHEFROSTLINE	6	Marcus Faller	B Mc Dougall	56	61.00
7	ARCTIC GIRL	3	R Griffiths & M De Kock	J Bowditch	56	5.00
8	FAIRY MISS	10	Daniel Williams	B Higgins	56	12.00
9	LUMINOUS WATERS	5	J F Moloney	T Nugent	56	6.50
10	OUR SILVERLININGS (NZ)	5	MM Laurie	D Stackhouse	56	10.00
11	HALVAR	9	R Griffiths & M De Kock	J McNeil	58	8.50

STEWARDS REPORT: 3. Just Bolts laid in straight TER Dec 19. 6. Abovethefrostline laid in straight CRA Dec 22. 9. Luminous Waters raced three wide BED Sep 14. 10. Our Silver Linings began awkwardly MOG Jun 12.

RACE 2 Rokworx Plate 1009m 2.00

4yo & up Maiden SW. Prizemoney: \$175,000, 1st \$20,625, 2nd \$6,750, 3rd \$3,375, 4th \$1,875, 5th \$102.5. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	LAST
1	FLYING KNEE b	1	C W McDonald	C Newitt	59.5	5.50
2	FOXMANIA	2	A & J Williams	B Higgins	59.5	5.50
3	JESSUP	9	G M Begg	J Childs	59.5	3.20
4	ORTEGA	5	M C Kent	B Mc Dougall	59.5	3.00
5	REDOUTE'S NIGHT	6	Ms C Alderson	SCRATCHED	59.5	—
6	SET FOR SUCCESS	4	Benjamin Buckley	A Lynch	59.5	151.00
7	JPUISH b	7	Shea Eden	SCRATCHED	57.5	—
8	THALASSA	3	MM Laurie	D Stackhouse	57.5	41.00
9	WAYHERE	8	Bill Papaziaroudakis	Ms C Hefel (a)	57.5	12.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 2. Foxmania weakened noticeably, vetted - no abnormalities MUR Jul 15. 3. Jessup failed to respond to riding MOG Oct 12. 7. JPUISH wide throughout, vetted - no abnormalities YAG Dec 22. 8. Thalassa eased down, stewards queried run, poor recovery ARA Apr 20.

RACE 3 Barry Plant Yarra Glen Plate 1209m 2.30

3yo & up Maiden SW. Prizemoney: \$175,000, 1st \$20,625, 2nd \$6,750, 3rd \$3,375, 4th \$1,875, 5th \$102.5. Apprentices can claim.

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FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	LAST	
1	2s	BRIER b	8	E Jusulovic	Ms C Hefel (a)	59.5	*1.65
2	2674s	FIRESTORM BOY	5	G Eurell	D Moor	59.5	6.50
3	4327s	LOLLY MONEY	1	John McAnlie	J Mott	59.5	8.00
4		PRIDE OF PARIAS	9	Patrick Keane	A Lynch	59.5	16.00
5	4	SKILLFUL ARTIST	11	Mark & Levi Kavanagh	T Nugent	58	23.00
6	33620	FOSSETTA	2	Matthew Brown	Ms D Keane (a2)	57.5	71.00
7	2525s	GIANT'S REWARD	12	M, W & J Hawkes	J McNeil	57.5	10.00
8	77s3	UPDE LANE	3	J W Price	SCRATCHED	57.5	—
9		KATERINI	11	C J Waller	D Stadhoudere	56	11.00
10	4	MISS WINSLET	7	L & T Costens	L Bordan	56	14.00
Emergencies: (in order)							
11	3039s	GIULIANO	14	Ben, Will & D Hayes		59.5	15.00
12	80s0	THREE JACKS	6	S V Brown	S Brown Jnr	59.5	18.00
13	6s	TURN UP THE MUSIC	10	Simon Zahra	W Price	58	7.50
14		NICOLE GIRL	4	C J Waller	J Childs	56	15.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 1. Brier laid out on straightening, lost a plate SAL Jul 23. 2. Firestorm Boy slowly away, keen RAS Jul 22. 3. Lolly Money eased near 800m, vetted - no abnormalities GEE Aug 11. 5. Skillful Artist began awkwardly KYN Dec 14. 7. Giant's Reward shifted in early stages, vetted - no abnormalities BYN Jul 18. 8. Upde Lane slowly away, held up near turn CRA Dec 15. 10. Miss Winslet slowly away, held up near 300m TER Dec 19. 12. Three Jacks lame SEY Dec 21. 13. Turn Up The Music began awkwardly MOE Jul 06.

GEAR CHANGES

RACE 1: (1) Boyfriend Material blinkers on first time, pre-race ear muffs on first time, gelded; (3) Just Bolts tongue-tie on first time; (4) Rank'n'file gelded, lugging bit on first time, tongue-tie on first time; (5) Sakasu blinkers on first time; (8) Fairy Miss cross-over noseband on first time, pre-race ear muffs on first time, tongue-tie on first time; (11) Halvar ear muffs on first time.
RACE 2: (1) Flying Knee blinkers on first time; (2) Foxmania blinkers on first time; (3) Jessup blinkers on first time; (9) Wayhere barrier blanket on first time, cross-over noseband on first time, stallion chain off first time, tongue-tie on first time.
RACE 3: (1) Brier ear muffs on first time, pre-race ear muffs off first time; (4) Pride Of Parias gelded; (5) Skillful Artist blinkers on first time; (9) Katerini lugging bit on first time, tongue-tie on first time; (11) Giuliano blinkers off first time, blinkers on again; (14) Nicole Girl lugging bit on first time.
RACE 6: (2) Fiftysevenyears tongue-tie on again; (5) Cryptic Clue visors on first time; (7) Albanian Icon blinkers on again; (11) Portobello Road off hind bandages off first time, cross-over noseband off first time.
RACE 7: (5) Viduka blinkers off first time, tongue-tie on first time, visors on first time; (6) Frostick blinkers on first time, blinkers off first time; (10) Pudacious tongue-tie on first time.
RACE 8: (4) Pampuni blinkers off first time; (8) Surprise Valley blinkers on first time.

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3	1 BRIER 10 Miss Winslet 13 Turn Up The Music 2 Firestorm Boy	1 BRIER 13 Turn Up The Music 10 Miss Winslet 5 Stiffl Artist	2 FIRESTORM BOY 10 Miss Winslet 3 Lolly Money 14 Niccise Girl
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RACE 4 DeBortoli Plate 1968m 3.00

Maiden SW. Prizemoney: \$175,000, 1st \$20,625, 2nd \$6,750, 3rd \$3,375, 4th \$1,875, 5th \$102.5. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	LAST
1	46 ANTHURIUM	6	M C Kent	Ms J Beriman	59.5	11.00
2	44333 KNETT (NZ) b	3	Gavin Bedgood	J Bowditch	59.5	3.90
3	56725 MITCHELLS FALLS	4	Yoko Ota	Ms Yota	59.5	21.00
4	52569 TITAN'S WARRIOR (NZ)	4	Matthew Brown	B Higgins	59.5	23.00
5	053 ARTSPACE (NZ)	5	T Busuttin & N Young	J Childs	58	9.00
6	32212 MARINER'S DREAM b	7	Amabel Neasham	J Mott	58	*2.30
7	26546 BACKLIT BEAUTY	9	L Vernead & L Yeomans	T Nugent	57.5	7.50
8	66065 OUR BONNIO MISS	1	J F Moloney	J Fry	57.5	23.00
9	47603 THE PARTING GLASS (NZ)	2	Reece Goodwin	J Noonan	57.5	8.50

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RACE 5 Air Fusion Handicap 1968m 3.30

3yo & up Benchmark 58. Prizemoney: \$35,000, 1st \$19,250, 2nd \$6,300, 3rd \$3,150, 4th \$1,750, 5th \$1050. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	LAST
1	16822 INORDINATE d.c.n.b	8	Gavin Bedgood	J Hill	61	*4.00
2	21767 LOTTAROC (NZ) w	10	D M Noonan	C Rawiller	61	11.00
3	60173 NOT A PROBLEM twb	1	Ms A Bennett	J Fry	61	4.80
4	24138 THE ROOSTER d	2	M D Moroney	J Mott	60	9.00
5	86075 TOSEN GLORY w	6	Ben, Will & JD Hayes	B Mc Dougall	60	19.00
6	17570 TRADEWIND	11	Daniel Kelly	Ms A Kelly	60	41.00
7	41447 KHAN'S TREASURE (NZ)	5	S V Brown	L Cartwright (a3)	59.5	6.00
8	75223 VADACHIE (NZ)	9	Matthew Brown	B Higgins	59.5	15.00
9	09594 AMBERARNA (NZ) w	7	Ms C Alderson	SCRATCHED	59	—
10	70921 BOLSHOI PRINCESS w	3	Liam Howley	J Maskiell	59	5.00
11	90050 TO SCANA RISING	4	Mark & Levi Kavanagh	T Nugent	57	41.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 1. Inordinate keen, held up near 400m YAG Dec 22. 4. The Rooster slowly away, raced wide without cover, tactics queried, poor recovery GEE Dec 15. 5. Tosen Glory slowly away BEN Dec 16. 6. Tradewind eased down, lame KYN Dec 14. 9. Amberarna keen, crowded near 100m CRA Dec 22. 10. Bolshoi Princess over early, middle stages, saddle slipped KYN Dec 14.

YARRA VALLEY COMMENT

RACE 1 L30 (1009m)

1. BOYFRIEND MATERIAL (Colin Scott) 3G By Toronado (IRE) - The Girlfriend (0.0-0-0). First Start. By Toronado (IRE) - The Girlfriend. No public trials. Look to markets.
2. IF I WAS YOU (Mark & Levi Kavanagh) 3C By Helbert - Ribbons 'n' Roses (GB) (0.0-0-0). First Start. By Helbert - Ribbons 'n' Roses (GB). Hasn't trialed in public. Monitor betting moves.
3. JUST BOLTS (Jamie Edwards) 3G By Winning Rupert - They Call Me Bolt (0.0-1-1). Laid in straight when 2 1/2 len 2nd of 7 (5) \$10.00 58.0 Waiwera 1000m Yarra Glen 3yo+ Mdn Soft (7) Dec 2. Laid in straight when 1 1/2 len, 1 1/2 len 3rd of 9 (6) \$6.50 58.0 Major Share 1000m Terang 3yo Mdn Good (4) Dec 19. Close up of late. No match for winner but held on to place at latest. Free running. Drawn to effect. Rates highly.

4. RANK'N'FILE (Ben, Will & JD Hayes) 3G By Epuletto - Bathilda (NZ) (0.0-0-0-0). Launching career here after 1/2 len win of 9 (5) Rank'n'file 1000m Benalla 3yo+ (Barrier Trial) Good (3) Dec 19. Trials. (4-2-1-0). Indicated talent at the trials. Big watch.
5. SAKASU (Clayton Douglas) 3G By Supido - Juggles (0.0-0-0-0). Beaten but not disgraced when 8 1/4 len 5th of 8 (7) \$6.50 56.0 Sbel 1000m Mornington Mdn Plate Soft (6) Dec 13. Freshened. Ordinary at Mornington on debut. Each-way.
6. ABOVETHEFROSTLINE (Marcus Faller) 3F By Frosted (USA) - Donna Quatro (0.0-0-0-0). Laid in straight when 4 len 6th of 9 (3) \$51.00 56.0 Miss Marge 1000m Cranbourne 3yo Mdn Good (3) Dec 22. Coming off an average run at Cranbourne on debut. Pre-race nerves.
7. ARCTIC GIRL (R Griffiths & M De Kock) 3F By Frosted (USA) - Testa The Water (0.0-0-0-0). Kicks off here after 2 1/2 len 4th of 8 (4) Waimarie 800m Cranbourne Training 3yo (Barrier Trial) Soft (6) Aug 7. Trials. (1.0-0-0-0). Look to betting.
8. FAIRY MISS (Daniel Williams) 3F By Marhattan Rain - Kathy's Spirit (0.0-0-0-0). First Start. By Marhattan Rain - Kathy's Spirit. Kicks off without a trial. Look to markets.

RACE 6 Benchmark 58 Handicap 1514m 4.00

3yo & up Benchmark 58. Prizemoney: \$35,000, 1st \$19,250, 2nd \$6,300, 3rd \$3,150, 4th \$1,750, 5th \$1050. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	LAST
1	61173 TRELOAR tw	11	Luke Oliver	J Mott	62	8.50
2	6633 FIFTYSEVEN YEARS (NZ) d	7	Liam Howley	J Maskiell	61	*4.20
3	51045 MAGNACE (NZ) w	4	D O'Brien	J McNeil	61	*4.20
4	56720 PAINT ME RED (NZ) dw	9	Brett Scott	SCRATCHED	61	—
5	8900 CRYPTIC CLUE w	8	Matthew Brown	B Higgins	60	41.00
6	52681 DELTA SKY d	12	S V Brown	SCRATCHED	59	—
7	86527 ALBANIAN ICON	3	P Koumis	Ms T Childs (a1.5)	58.5	10.00
8	33546 KARATEMISS	2	M J Ellerton	J Bowditch	58.5	11.00
9	91756 REPARTER w	10	Jason Evans	L Cartwright (a3)	58.5	11.00
10	96641 NEVADA SHOWGIRL w	1	T & C McEvoy	Ms S Field (a3)	58	4.40
11	00585 PORTOBELLO ROAD	6	A Rosoloni	SCRATCHED	56	—
12	55965 TORONOVA w	5	IM Panfiliurst	SCRATCHED	58	15.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 2. Fiftysevenyears raced wide without cover. Tactics queried GEE Dec 15. 7. Albanian Icon eased near 200m TER Dec 19. 8. Karatemiss slowly away YAG Dec 22. 12. Toronova slowly away, held up near 400m CRA Dec 22.

RACE 7 United Petroleum 1009m 4.30

Benchmark 58. Prizemoney: \$35,000, 1st \$19,250, 2nd \$6,300, 3rd \$3,150, 4th \$1,750, 5th \$1050. Apprentices can claim.

FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	LAST
1	52221 MIDNIGHT DEVIL n	7	E Jusulovic	L Cartwright (a3)	61.5	*1.85
2	9634 BOO'S REWARD dw	8	G W Egan	D Stackhouse	61	10.00
3	05728 CITALEON w	10	Simone Manne	Ms J Beriman	61	23.00
4	65193 FLYING FINCH dw	1	Reece Goodwin	Ms J Kennedy (a2)	61	13.00
5	87039 VIDUKA d	4	Ryan Balfour	C Rawiller	61	6.50
6	55649 FROSTICK dw	3	MA Bell	R O'Sullivan	60.5	41.00
7	1 HYBRID MOMENTS d	5	Patrick Keane	Ms D Keane (a2)	60	4.60
8	66703 TOM THE STAR d	11	Matthew Cumani	SCRATCHED	60	—
9	57811 ALBANIAN THUNDER d.c	9	P Koumis	Ms T Childs (a1.5)	59	13.00
10	10866 PUDACIOUS d	6	S P Nichols	Ms L Burke (a4)	59	26.00
11	05776 OAKLEIGH w	2	R J Besanko	Ms C Hefel (a)	57.5	41.00

STEWARDS REPORT: 2. Boo's Reward laid in straight YAG Dec 22. 6. Frostick broke poorly (CL), warning - barrier mannequin YAG Dec 22. 7. Hybrid Moments eased near 200m SAW Nov 26. 9. Albanian Thunder pre-race incident, passed fit at barrier YAG Dec 22.

RACE 8 Benchmark 58 Handicap 1209m 5.00

3yo & up F&M Benchmark 58. Prizemoney: \$35,000, 1st \$19,250, 2nd \$6,300, 3rd \$3,150, 4th \$1,750, 5th \$1050. Apprentices can claim.

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FORM	HORSE	DRAW	TRAINER	JOCKEY	WGT	LAST
1	7966 ▼ VOLPE R SORSA dw	5	Toby Laite	L Cartwright (a3)	63	7.50
2	351 ▼ YONGTAI	8	Bridecake & Jenkins	Ms L Burke (a4)	62	8.50
3	5233 ▼ COOL HEART	7	Logan McGill	D Stackhouse	61.5	5.00
4	5688 ▼ PAMPUNI	10	C Maher & D Eustace	J Mott	61.5	11.00
5	3314s AND SHE WAS dt	2	K & K Keys	T Nugent	61	13.00
6	4781s ▼ CORONATI ONALLY d	4	Brett Scott	SCRATCHED	61	—
7	2175 ▼ QUEEN N OF TUSCANY n	13	R Griffiths & M De Kock	J Bowditch	61	13.00
8	5 ▼ SURPRISE VALLEY w	1	G Wakehouse & A Bott	J McNeil	61	*2.80
9	0519 ▼ APPELBY	11	G Eurell	LBates (a3)	60.5	6.00
10	1995 ▼ IDEAL GIRL dw	12	Brady Cross	SCRATCHED	60.5	—
Emergencies: (in order)						
11	72847 SOUTHERN FIRE d	9	S V Brown	SCRATCHED	60	—
12	9531 ▼ ALBANIAN STAR d	14	P Koumris	Ms S Clarke (a)	60	23.00
13	13436 TUMBER PRINCESS dw	3	Daniel Kelly	B Trehear (a4)	59.5	11.00
14	57500 ▼ LIMA SPIRICE dw	6	Paul & Tracey Templeton	L King	59	81.00

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MOVIE REVIEWS LEIGH PAATSCH

Driving force

High speed excitement will accelerate the heartbeats of all, not just petrolheads

If the life of legendary Italian car impresario Enzo Ferrari was a motor race, then the engrossing new movie which bears his (brand)name takes in only one lap of the circuit.

It is certainly not a victory lap. And it is by no means the fastest lap.

However, it is the most crucial lap completed during the Ferrari life story: the distance of which will take in the calendar year of 1957.

If Enzo Ferrari (played with fastidious poise and restraint by an impressive Adam Driver) does not end that year as the head of a viable car manufacturing company, then everything he has worked for will be pulled off the road and stripped for parts.

With his business teetering on the edge of ruin – too few cars are being sold to the public, and too few races are being won on the track – Ferrari takes out an audacious, make-or-break bet. His immediate livelihood and ongoing legacy will all come down to the performance of his team in one event of the 1957 season: a notoriously dangerous, all-day road race across Italy known as the Mille Miglia.

Ferrari's best drivers and fastest cars are assembled and unleashed upon the unpredictably twisting, turning and undulating roads of rural Italy. It is virtually guaranteed that not all men or machines gathered at the start of the Mille Miglia will be there at the finish.

This was an era where the death of a driver in the pursuit of championship glory was deemed acceptable collateral damage by both team owners and the general public alike.



Adam Driver as Enzo Ferrari in filmmaker Michael Mann's movie Ferrari.

As for the cars, these open-topped chariots offered little in the way of protection for those steering them. Seat belts were not an option. (At the time, it was believed a driver stood more chance of surviving a wreck if he was thrown clear of the wreckage.)

As for the brakes, gears, tyres or structural soundness, let's just say each component could come, go and return at a moment's notice.

Whether the action is taking place on a test circuit, a racetrack or the open road, any sequence in which a four-wheeled Ferrari creation is barreling along at high speed is an incredibly exciting, imposing and rather stressful experience.

To provide some necessary contrast – and for that matter, relief – Ferrari the movie studiously fills in some of the blanks of Ferrari the man.

Enzo's long-neglected wife Laura (a stunning Penelope Cruz) couldn't care less about her spouse's exalted status as "the second most famous

FERRARI (MA15+)

Director: Michael Mann (Heat)

Starring: Adam Driver, Penelope Cruz, Shailene Woodley, Patrick Dempsey

★★★★☆
One man, one race and one extraordinary car

man in Italy to the Pope". She is too busy keeping their business afloat, keeping their household going, and keeping the memory of their recently deceased son alive for another day.

Shortly after we first meet Laura, she pulls a gun on her husband for a relatively minor misdemeanour. Just wait until she finds out about the mistress (Shailene Woodley) and young child that Enzo has been hiding away for well over a decade.

This polished and captivating portrait of Enzo Ferrari and his sleek red racing works of motorised art is sure to be studied and replayed several times over by devout petrolheads.

While some may feel that acclaimed filmmaker Michael Mann lets a little too much of Enzo's domestic downtime into frame, these slower moments in a lesser gear make the racing scenes whoosh by with even more power under the hood.

Ferrari is in cinemas now

The Movie Micro Binge

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FAST CARS

The feisty fuellin' around of the new Ferrari movie got you all revved up for more? Here's where you can swiftly stream yourself beyond all cinematic speed limits ...

FORD V FERRARI

Disney+ or rent

★★★★☆

All roads lead towards the 1966 edition of the Le Mans 24-hour motor race, where American giant Ford is looking to end the dominance of its Italian rival, Ferrari. It is here we find a well-matched Matt Damon (as gifted designer Carroll Shelby) and Christian

Bale (as maverick driving ace Ken Miles) in fast, furious form. A movie that keeps putting the foot down, even when it backs off the velocity.



RUSH

SBS ON Demand or rent

★★★★☆

An exciting time capsule of old-school F1 racing, focusing on the 1976 Drivers Championship. Two daredevils clear out from the pack. Their rivalry? Beyond intense. Their individual personalities? Beyond opposite.

British maverick James Hunt (Chris Hemsworth) drives fast, and lives even faster. Austrian ace Niki Lauda (Daniel Bruhl) plays the percentages, and lives only to drive.



NEED FOR SPEED

Disney+ or rent

★★★★☆

Aaron Paul (Breaking Bad) plays an ex-con street racer looking for redemption in a cross-country crash-a-thon organised by a mystery man zillionaire (Michael Keaton). OK, so the script backfires. What about the stunts? Well, they more than deliver. All the

fiery wrecks, sudden swerves and unplanned off-road departures were achieved without the aid of CGI. Co-stars Dominic Cooper.



THE BOYS IN THE BOAT (PG)

★★★★☆

General release

This proudly old-fashioned true story of a longshot lunge at Olympic gold might seem undeniably corny to the naked eye. However, this remarkable tale will prove irresistibly compelling to anyone whose spiritual sporting calling is to always side with the underdog.

Under the straightforward direction of George Clooney (who remains strictly behind the camera here), we learn how Team USA took out one of rowing's most revered events at the 1936 Olympics in Berlin. Not with the usual crew of privileged oarsmen from elite colleges who had trained their entire lives to reach the pinnacle of their sport.

Nope, America's Men's Eight crew was comprised of a bunch of rookies, who just a year before comprised a lowly reserve crew



From left, Chris Diamantopoulos as Royal Brougham, James Wolk as Coach Tom Bolles, and Joel Edgerton as Al Ulbrickson in director George Clooney's The Boys in the Boat.

at the University of Washington. Somehow, these green kids rocketed through the ranks of rowing to challenge and beat the world's best. It is a singular achievement that is as awesome as it is baffling.

Touse a cricketing analogy, the victory chronicled here is the equivalent of a suburban second eleven representing Australia at a World Cup and winning the whole darn thing. With so many characters

involved in and out of the boat, worthwhile development of most figures is near impossible. Only Joel Edgerton's nuggety head coach and Callum Turner's poor-boy raw recruit register with any real impact.

However, the open-water racing is surprisingly exciting throughout, allowing Clooney the licence to let this stirring tale of perspiration, deprivation and inspiration pretty much tell itself.

Need more?

- Days of Thunder (Paramount+)
- Baby Driver (Binge, Netflix)
- Gran Turismo (rent only)

SEASON'S BEST

Fabulous fruit

Make the most of summer mangoes with these recipes



MACADAMIA, MANGO & COCONUT TART

SERVES 10. PREP 1 HOUR 30 MINS. COOK 15 MINS

Ingredients

- 145g (1 cup) roasted salted macadamias
- 50g (½ cup) rolled oats
- 30g (½ cup) moist coconut flakes
- 1 tbsp coconut sugar
- 75g butter, melted
- 2 mangoes, peeled, thinly sliced
- 2 passionfruit, halved
- Toasted flaked coconut, to serve

Tart filling

- 170g carton vanilla quark-style yoghurt
- 250g light cream cheese, at room temperature
- 1 ½ tbsp fresh lemon juice
- 1 tsp gelatine powder
- 1 tbsp maple syrup
- 2 tsp vanilla bean paste

Method

- 1 Preheat the oven to 180C/160C fan-forced. Grease a 22cm fluted tart tin with removable base with olive oil spray. Place macadamias, oats, coconut and sugar in a food processor. Process until finely chopped. Add the butter and process until the mixture just comes together. Wipe the bowl of the food processor clean.
- 2 Press the mixture firmly into the base and side of the prepared tin. Place in the fridge for 10 minutes. Place the tin on a baking tray. Bake for 10-15 minutes or until the base is lightly golden. Use the back of a spoon to flatten the base and side of the pastry case evenly. Set aside to cool.
- 3 For the filling, process the quark and cream

cheese until smooth. Pour the lemon juice into a small heatproof bowl. Sprinkle gelatine over the lemon juice. Place the bowl inside a larger heatproof bowl. Pour boiling water into the

larger bowl until it reaches halfway up the side of the smaller bowl. Use a fork to stir to dissolve gelatine. Add to the cream cheese mixture and process until smooth. Add the maple syrup and vanilla. Process to combine. Pour into the cooled tart base and smooth the surface. Place in the fridge for 1-2 hours or until just set.

4 Remove the tart from the tin. Curl mango slices and place on top of the tart. Drizzle over the passionfruit pulp and scatter with the toasted coconut.

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SLOW COOKER MANGO CHICKEN

SERVES 4. PREP 15 MINS. COOK 4 HOURS

Ingredients

- 2 tbsp yellow curry paste
- 1 tsp ground turmeric
- 6 RSPCA approved chicken thigh fillets, trimmed, halved crossways
- 500g pkt frozen mango cheeks, partially thawed, coarsely chopped (see note)
- 2 red capsicum, deseeded, thickly sliced
- 1 large red onion, cut into wedges
- 1 tbsp finely grated fresh ginger
- 3 garlic cloves, crushed
- 1 tbsp olive oil
- 200ml UHT coconut cream (see note)
- 1 tbsp brown sugar
- 2 green onions, thinly sliced
- ½ cup fresh coriander leaves
- 1 fresh long red chilli, thinly sliced
- Lime wedges, to serve
- Steamed rice, to serve

Method

- 1 Combine the curry paste and turmeric in a large bowl. Add the chicken, season and toss well to combine. Set aside.
- 2 Place half the mango in a food processor and process until smooth. Transfer to the bowl of a slow cooker. Stir in 80ml (⅓ cup) water. Top with capsicum, onion, ginger and garlic.
- 3 Heat oil in a large frying pan over medium-high heat. Add chicken and cook, turning, for 5 minutes or until golden brown. Add to the slow cooker bowl. Cover and cook on Low for 3 hours or until the chicken is starting to become tender.
- 4 Add coconut cream to the slow cooker. Cover and cook on High for 1 hour or until the sauce thickens slightly. Stir in the remaining mango along with the sugar. Cook for a further 10 minutes or until the mango has warmed through. Turn off slow cooker and set aside for 5 minutes to rest.
- 5 Divide rice among serving plates. Add chicken and sprinkle with green onions, coriander and chilli. Serve with lime wedges.

NOTES

- When mango is in season, substitute 500g of fresh mango pieces for this recipe.
- UHT coconut cream has been heat-treated and although rich and creamy it doesn't curdle in the slow cooker. Swap for a 270ml can coconut cream if unavailable.

LIZ MACRI

PRAWN & DEVILLED MANGO SALAD

SERVES 6. PREP 10 MINS

Ingredients

- 1 mango
- 2 Lebanese cucumbers
- 60g packet baby rocket
- ½ cup small fresh mint leaves
- 500g cooked prawns, peeled, deveined, tails intact
- 45g (¼ cup) honey-roasted macadamias
- Lemon infused extra virgin olive oil, to drizzle
- Devilled mango dip**
- 80g (⅓ cup) whole egg mayonnaise
- 90g (⅓ cup) mango chutney
- 2 tsp sriracha chilli sauce

Method

- 1 To make devilled mango dip, combine all ingredients in a bowl then transfer to



- 2 a small serving bowl. Season.
- 2 Slice the mango and peel the cucumbers into ribbons.
- 3 Place the dip in the centre of a serving platter. Toss together rocket and mint in a bowl. Arrange on the platter with mango, cucumber and prawns. Sprinkle with macadamias and drizzle over oil to serve.

MICHELLE SOUTHAN

SPEEDY THAI CHICKEN RISSOLES WITH MANGO SALAD

SERVES 4. PREP 10 MINS. COOK 10 MINS

Ingredients

- 500g chicken mince
- 2 tbsp Gourmet Garden Thai seasoning
- 1 tbsp grapeseed oil
- ½ bunch fresh mint
- 250g pkt zucchini noodles
- 80g mixed salad leaves
- 1 large mango
- 80g (⅓ cup) sweet chilli-flavoured cashews
- 1 lime
- Kewpie mayonnaise sriracha flavour, to serve

Method

- 1 Heat a large non-stick frying pan over medium-high heat.

- 2 Place chicken and Thai seasoning in a bowl. Use clean hands to mix until well combined.
- 3 Once pan is hot, add oil. Use wetted hands to shape into 8 small patties. Cook patties for 2 minutes then turn over. Cover and cook for a further 3 minutes or until cooked through.
- 4 Meanwhile, pick mint sprigs then arrange zucchini, salad leaves and mint on a serving platter. Thinly slice the mango and add to the platter. Sprinkle with the cashews. Cut the lime into wedges.
- 5 Arrange the rissoles on the platter and serve with mayonnaise and lime wedges.

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FESTIVE SPENDING VANESSA CROLL

Cash hangover

How to recover from your holiday splurges

In addition to the festive hangover, there's an aftermath many of us grapple with at this time of year: the financial repercussions of Christmas spending. Recovering from the holiday splurge doesn't have to be daunting with these tips to manage debt and set a course for a financially resilient 2024.

UNDERSTAND THE STRAIN

Money coach and author Max Phelps says while holiday overspending is normal, it's the lack of planning that makes the impact harder for many people.

"It's common to spend an average \$2400 extra at Christmas, but most people don't set aside the \$200 a month needed to be ready for it," says Phelps.

BUILD A SOLID FOUNDATION

Phelps—author of *Spending Fast and Slow: Why Your Money Disappears so Fast and How to Slow Down the Flow*—suggests adopting the Fast & Slow System for better financial management.

He recommends dividing your funds between two banks, dedicating one for bills and savings, while the other is used for variable spending.

"The idea is to have your pay land in Bank A, used only to pay bills and then transfer into your spending bank, Bank B," he says. "Ignore the pay cycle and do the transfers to Bank B weekly for groceries and small routine spending items, plus a monthly transfer for gifts, clothes, electronics and fun stuff."

"Then open up separate savings accounts labelled Future, Holidays, and another for Christmas with your Bank A, or any other high-interest bank accounts not with Bank B, and put money in those every pay to be ready for next year."

He also suggests curbing routine purchases under \$30 to save for fun activities and long-term goals.

TACKLE DEBT AND BUDGET SMART

Phelps recommends the snowball method for debt: paying off the smallest debt and working your way up.

He says this provides a sense of accomplishment with each debt cleared, motivating progress.

He advises controlling impulsive spending by limiting access to funds outside of your weekly and monthly budgets.

"That means no card access to the accounts from Bank A," he says. "Any cards for those accounts should put on ice. This forces you to pause and think before



Financial content creator Queenie Tan breaks her financial goals down to 90-day blocks; below, money coach and author Max Phelps.

dipping into the bills, or any savings." When it comes to bills, Phelps advises planning these expenses for the year by estimating the total and dividing it by 12, 26, or 52 based on pay cycles for better management.

CREATE EMERGENCY FUNDS

"Buffers are essential to peace of mind," says Phelps, starting with a \$500 buffer which is hard to access, gradually increasing it to cover three months of living expenses. "Emergencies shouldn't be predictable things like holidays and car repairs, these should be planned in as normal expenses, based on an estimate."



FINDING SPENDING HABITS THAT WORK

Licensed financial content creator Queenie Tan and partner Pablo Bizzini employ monthly budget reviews. Tan says it's important to find something that works for you over the long term.

"The strategy we use is the 'pay yourself first' budget, which means no matter what, every month we contribute \$1000 to our investments before we start allocating our expenses," says Tan, who regularly shares

financial tips on social media at @investwithqueenie.

"Other budgeting strategies work for different people, like the 50/30/20 budget—which is 50 per cent of your income to needs, 30 per cent to wants, and 20 per cent to savings and investments."

"Pablo and I realised we were spending heaps more on food than we usually do—up by an extra \$500 per month."

"Once we knew this, we were able to be more mindful of our spending and now we spend around \$500 less on food each month and the quality hasn't decreased. We've just been more mindful."

LOOKING AHEAD

Tan says she finds breaking her financial goals down to 90 days helps.

"I prefer to set 90-day goals," she says. "I find it's a good amount of time to achieve pretty big goals, and it's not too long before you completely forget about your goals."

"If you set goals every 90 days, you can achieve four times as many goals in a year than if you just set goals at the beginning of the year. Break down your goal into smaller pieces. If you want to save \$10,000 in one year, that's \$27.40 per day, which is a lot more manageable."

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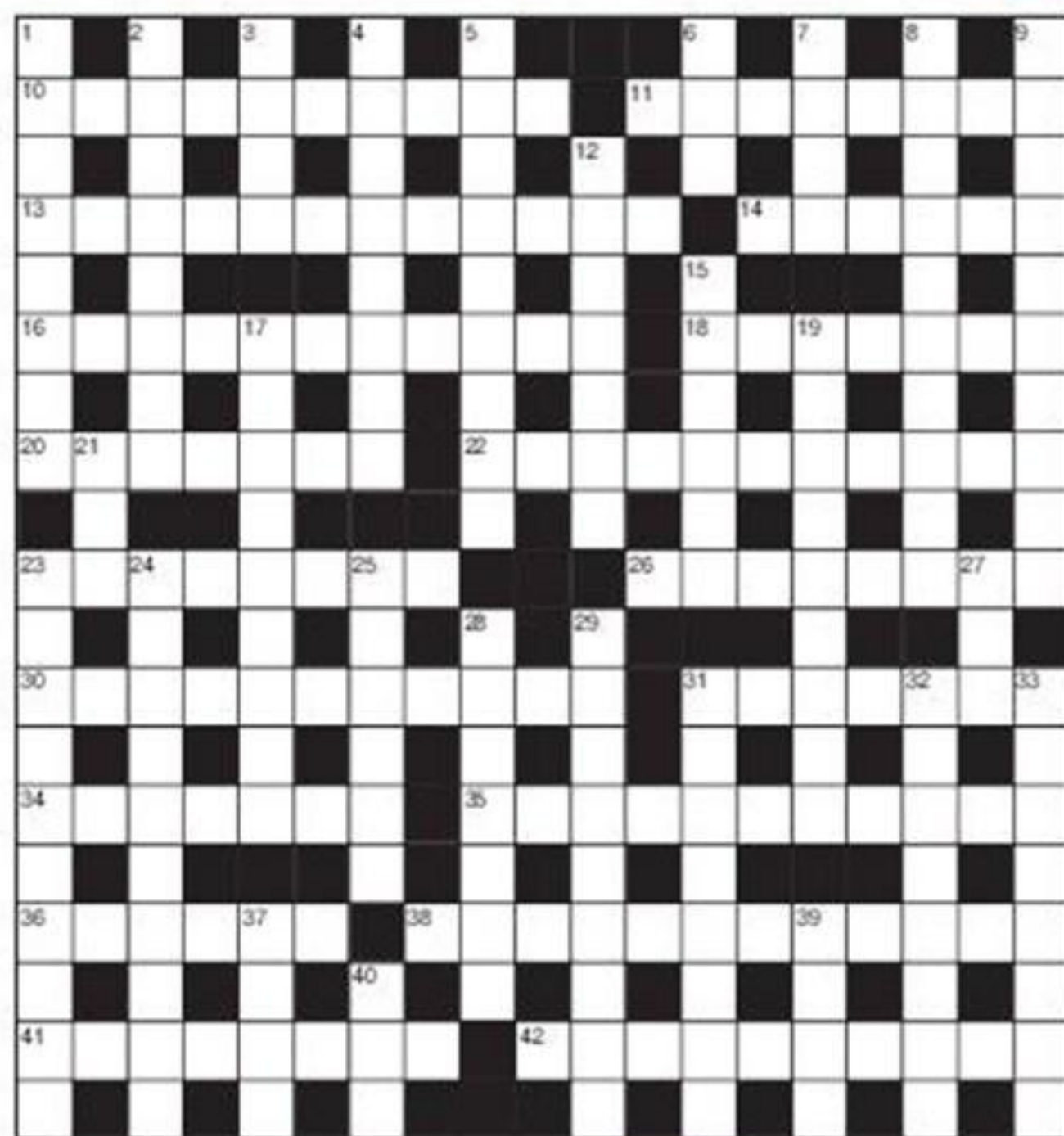
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Across

- 10 Warranties
11 Feigned
13 Sports ground (7,5)
14 S American cloak
16 Inward-looking
18 Greyhound-like dog
20 Central part
22 Spoil
23 Activate
26 Hides
30 Hanging light fixtures
31 Inside ship (2,5)
34 Cricket batting spell
35 Graveyard areas
36 Antelopes
38 Apathetic
41 Inverting
42 Armless (shirt)

Down

- 1 Native of Alexandria
2 Of galaxies
3 Hawaiian island
4 Stumbles wearily
5 Irregularity
6 Rear
7 Tear down (coll)
8 Accumulated amount
9 Dexterity
12 Committed
15 For some time
17 Too heavily loaded
19 Permanently
21 E.T. craft (1,1,1)
23 Automatic weapon (7,3)



- 24 Sudden ideas
25 Flick with water
27 Drop a clanger
28 Ancestry
29 Certainly
31 Taken
32 Passenger jet
33 Administer
37 Movie discs (1,1,2)

- 39 Playwright, - Coward
40 Artist, Yoko -

SOLUTION

Across: 1 Barry, 4 Reef, 6 Squander, 12 Conscript, 13 Icelandic, 14 Sheathe, 15 React, 16 Muddy, 17 Irishman, 19 Took after, 22 Eager beaver, 23 At odds, 25 Teases, 27 Cryptography, 31 Avalanche, 33 Airedale, 35 Cache, 36 Acacia, 37 Niagara, 40 Oxidation, 41 Viability, 42 Patterns, 43 Jade, 44 Togs.
Down: 1 Bucks, 2 Rendering, 3 Yacht, 4 Reiterate, 5 Extort, 7 Question, 8 Anaemia, 9 Dedicated, 10 Rocky, 11 Misanthropy, 17 Iced tea, 18 Horse, 20 Restyle, 21 Overbearing, 24 Three, 26 Anarchist, 28 Ostrich, 29 Placating, 30 Occasion, 32 Average, 34 Larva, 35 Champ, 38 Acit, 39 Abyss.

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QUIZMASTER

- 1 A punty is a long iron rod used in which craft?
2 Who created and originally performed the voice of cartoon character Foghorn Leghorn?
3 According to singer Bobby Day, who rocks in the treetops all day long?
4 Which European country is the origin of the river Elbe?
5 Which snake is the longest in the world?
6 Zucchero is the Italian word for which substance?

- 7 In the film *Ghost*, Molly Jensen is played by which actress?
8 *Pong* and *Pitfall* were video games developed by which company?
9 Which Latin term means "by that very fact"?
10 What relation is Princess Eugenie to King Charles III?

SOLUTION: 1. Glassblowing 2. Mel Blanc 3. Rodent Robin 4. Czech Republic 5. Reticulated python 6. Sugar 7. Demi Moore 8. Alan 9. Ipso facto 10. Niece

JUMBLE

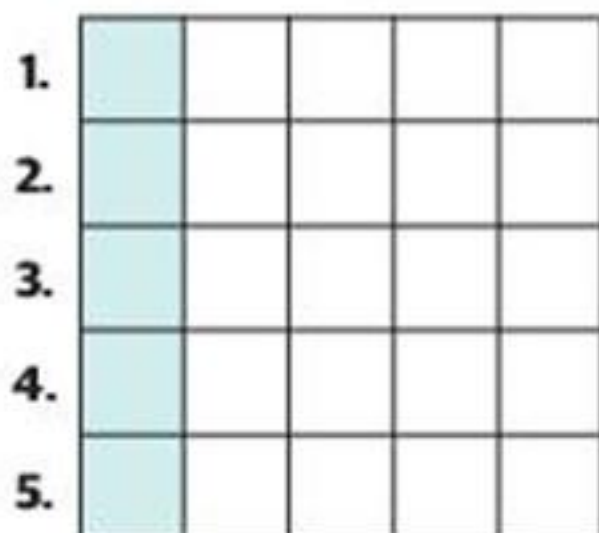
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Write your answers into the blank grid.

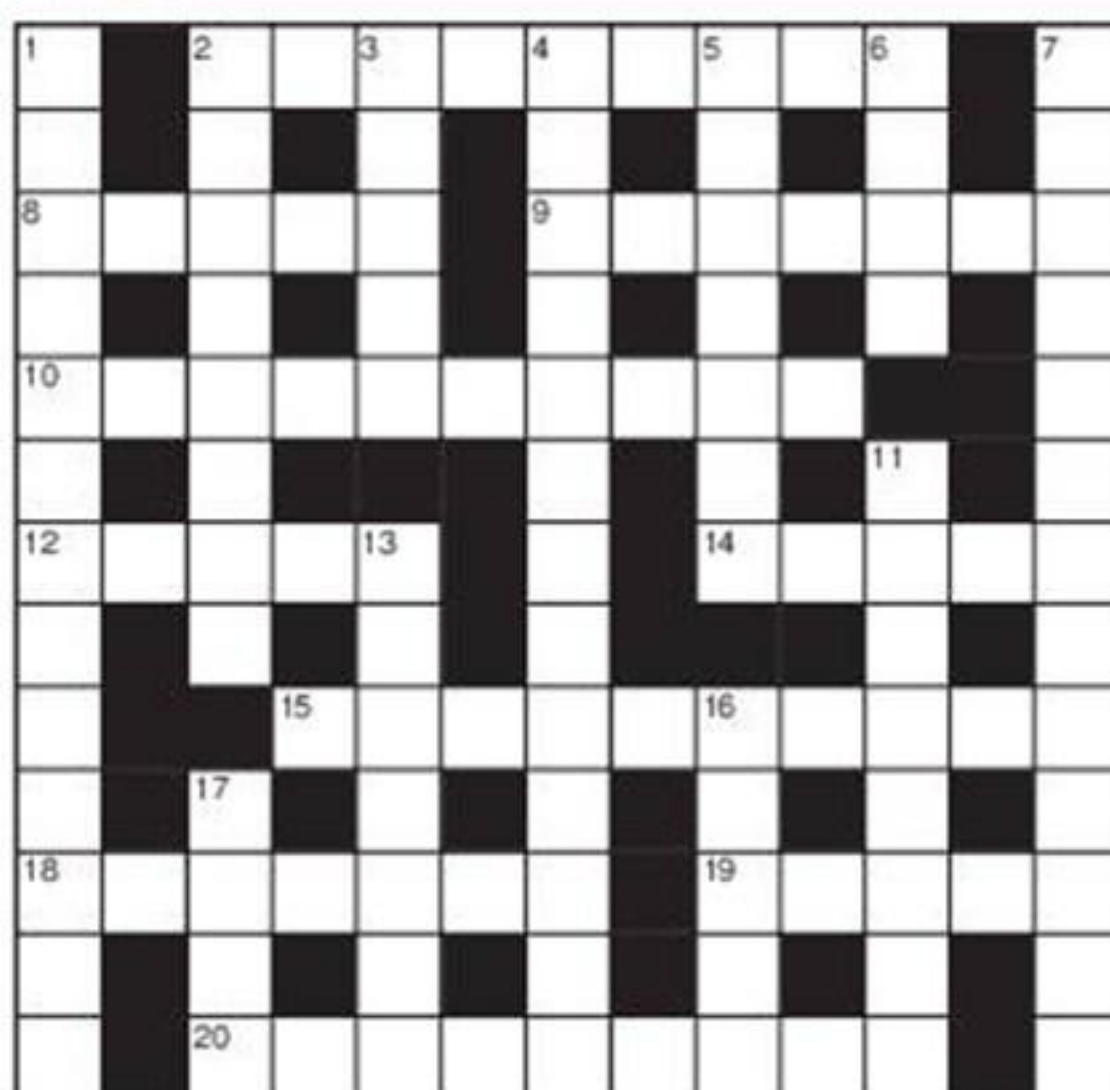
The first letter from each word, reading down, will spell the mystery keyword.

1. U S L L K
2. K U I A H
3. E L I A S
4. D U R N O
5. T A P I L



Previous solution: NAIVE, ENDED, VIPER, EJECT, RISKY
Keyword: NEVER

CRYPTIC



Across

- 2 Departed from Holland and shared expenses (4,5)
8 Longed for private eye to take on Flanders (5)
9 Come from some gentleman at embassy (7)
10 Heard in flex - Sybil is obstinate (10)
12 Meted out old letters to editor (5)
14 Hang loose, Dr Primate! (5)
15 Teams confuse horse-riding style (4-6)
18 Stir too wildly for Italian rice (7)
19 Stag returned carrying duck for Billy and nanny (5)

- 20 Lays around in Paris suffering from inability to move (9)

Down

- 1 Team spirit calls for a spree decor (6,2,5)
2 Inside wall, cooks find bonus (8)
3 Gently push twice before a couple of winks (5)
4 Changed colour on sheep but unchanged otherwise (4-2-3-4)
5 At first Theodore Roosevelt ailed, then brought up the rear (7)
6 Macho axemen conceal practical joke (4)
7 Force makes public statements to newspapers (5,8)

- 11 Anti-flood units take primary school and satchels (8)
13 Doctor has outfit queen gave Rolling Stone (7)
16 Protection, for example, is following initial adaptation (5)
17 A drain can be seen pronto! (1,1,1,1)

SOLUTION

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SUDOKU

Fill in all squares so each row, column and each of the nine 3x3 squares contain all digits from one to nine. Solutions, tips and software can be found at sudoku.com.

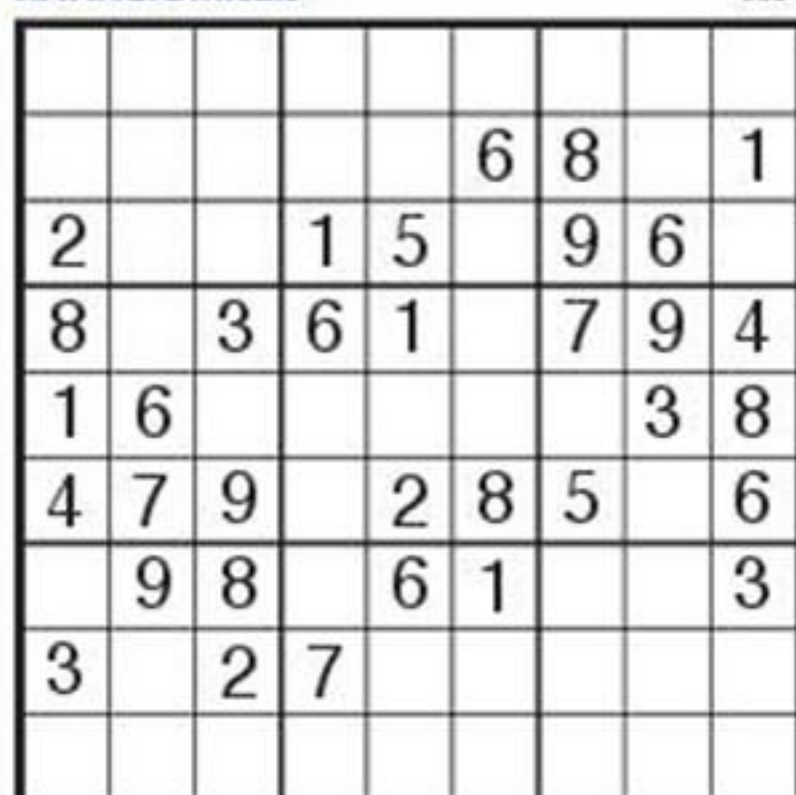
RATING: Very Easy

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RATING: Difficult

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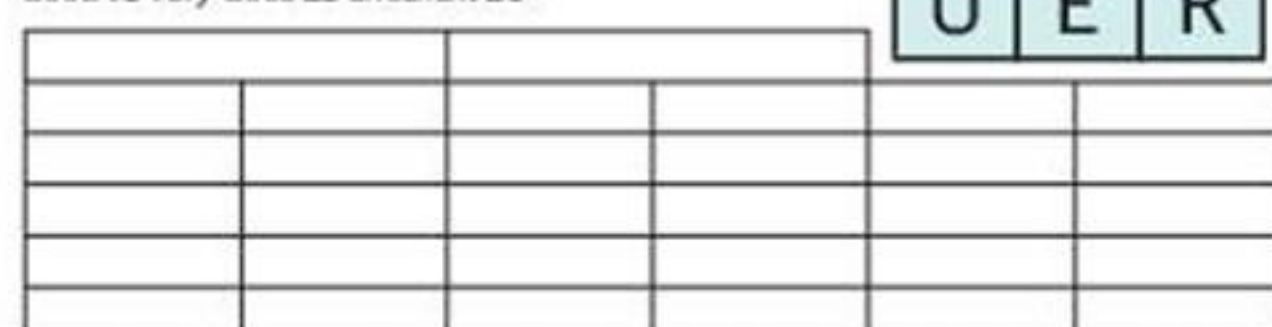
TARGET MASTER

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How many words of four letters or more can you make from these nine letters? Each letter may be used only once. The centre letter must be included. No slang, foreign or capitalised words, hyphens, apostrophes, or plurals ending in 's'. Only one form of a verb can be used, e.g. 'ring', but not 'rings' or 'ringed'.

Today's target:

Good 18 Very Good 23 Excellent 26+



Previous solution: Ache, Acne, Cane, Cave, Each, Elan, Hale, Have, Heal, Lace, Lane, Lean, Nave, Vane, Veal, Calve, Chela, Clave, Clean, Halve, Haven, Lance, Leach, Navel, Venal, Valance.

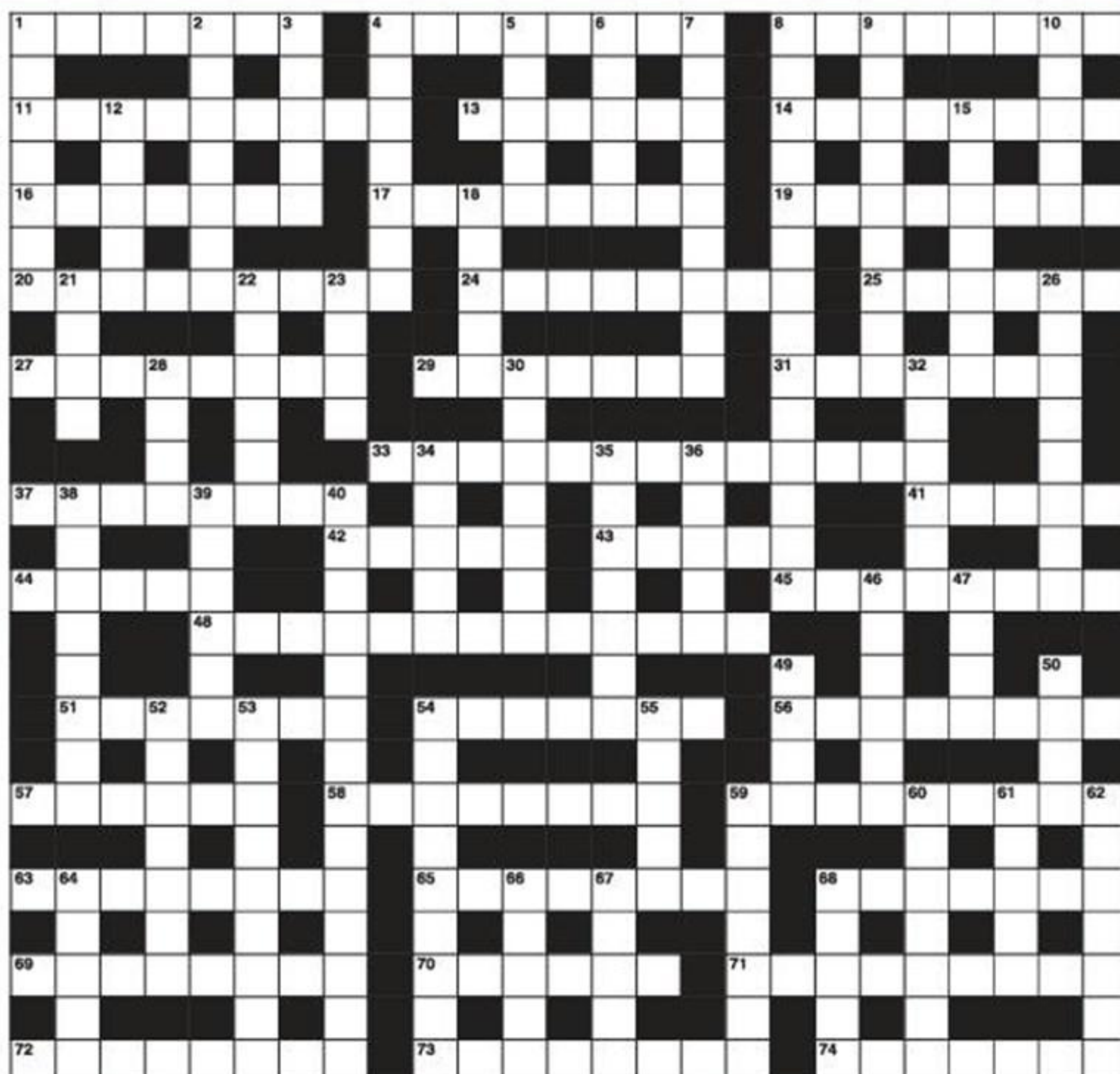
9-letter word: AVALANCHE

ACROSS

- 1 Breathes out (7)
- 4 Ed Sheeran song, - *Graffiti* (8)
- 8 Physical activity (8)
- 11 Bee product (9)
- 13 Help (6)
- 14 Mischievously (8)
- 16 Actor, - Portman (7)
- 17 Peaceful (8)
- 19 Tied up by a leash (8)
- 20 Catches the worm (5,4)
- 24 Try out (8)
- 25 Drink (6)
- 27 Rebound off a surface (8)
- 29 State (7)
- 31 Inactivity (7)
- 33 *Outlander* author (5,8)
- 37 Intermittent, sporadic (8)
- 41 Singer-songwriter,
- Parton (5)
- 42 Former Australian prime
minister, Bob - (5)
- 43 Scrutinises (5)
- 44 Skill (5)
- 45 1778 battle in the
American Revolution
fought near a courthouse,
the Battle of - (8)
- 48 Skippings school (7,6)
- 51 African republic (7)
- 54 Right (7)
- 56 Cooking method (8)
- 57 Slanted type (6)
- 58 Dramatic piece of fiction (8)
- 59 Type of nut (9)
- 63 Hide securely (8)
- 65 Follower of an Asian
religion (8)
- 68 Canadian city (7)
- 69 French writer and monk,
- Ricard (8)
- 70 Emphasise (6)
- 71 Feeling, emotion (9)
- 72 Absence of light (8)
- 73 Perceives (8)
- 74 Entertained with
storytelling (7)

DOWN

- 1 To make better (7)
- 2 Devotion (7)
- 3 Twenty (5)
- 4 Revolved around (7)
- 5 Becomes amber (5)
- 6 Farewell (5)
- 7 Spacecraft in orbit (9)
- 8 Philosophical belief (14)
- 9 Understand (9)
- 10 Crack (5)
- 12 Citer (5)
- 15 Sweet, fizzy powder (7)
- 18 Stun (5)
- 21 Related (4)
- 22 Look at (6)
- 23 Luxuriousness (coll) (4)
- 26 Band (8)
- 28 Burden (4)
- 30 Join (7)
- 32 Chance (6)
- 34 Animal-loving Australian family (5)
- 35 Expressive movement (7)
- 36 Grey matter organ (5)
- 38 Budgerigar, for one (8)
- 39 Amount produced (6)
- 40 Flowers (14)
- 46 US state (6)
- 47 Leave out (4)
- 49 Opera solo (4)
- 50 Against (4)
- 52 Unauthorised (7)
- 53 Make content (9)
- 54 Thick paper often used for boxes (9)
- 55 Dog breed (5)
- 59 Cell division (7)
- 60 Endearment (7)
- 61 Cut or chop into very small pieces (5)
- 62 Taken as one's own (7)
- 64 Antelope native to southern Africa (5)
- 66 Avoids (5)
- 67 Pivot (5)
- 68 Singer (5)



Insert each number from 1 to 9 in the shaded squares to solve all the horizontal and vertical equations.

Multiplication and division are performed before addition and subtraction.

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+		x		+		
	+		x		=	15
÷		÷		+		
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4X4

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6			
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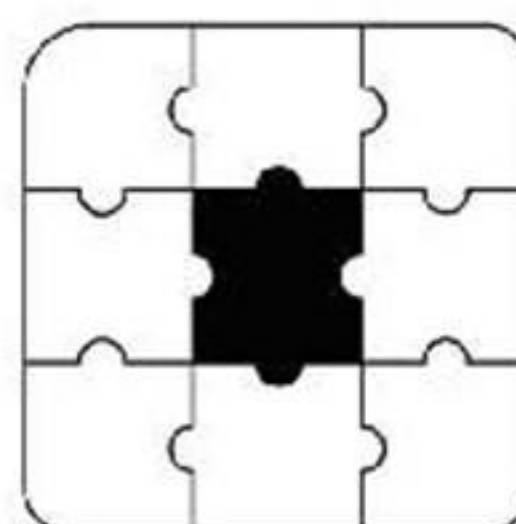
ACROSS

- UP**
- 1 Province
 - 5 Docile
 - 6 Cookie brand
 - 7 Nasty
- DOWN**
- 1 Element's smallest part
 - 2 Uncommon
 - 3 Europe, the Middle East and Africa (1,1,1)
 - 4 In definite long period

EDGEWORD

Place each of the tiles of letters into the blank jigsaw below to create four six-letter words, going across and down.

There may be more than one possible answer.



DA	ES	PA	GO
AK	LE	NC	ST

CALCUDOKU

Every row and column must contain the numbers 1 to 6 once each, with each outlined section equal to the number in the top left of the area when the noted mathematical operation is used. For subtraction and division, start with the largest number in the section.

14 +				2 ÷	30 ×
30 ×		4 -			
	11 +	1 -		18 ×	
14 +			10 ×		
				360 ×	
6 +					

Work it out...

Work it out...

DROPDOWN

[illegible]

Starting with the seven-letter word, drop a letter and form a six-letter word. Continue in this manner until you reach the single letter at the bottom. You can rearrange the letters in each step, if necessary.

There may be more than one possible answer.

TODAY'S SOLUTIONS

SUMMER GIANT

[illegible]

CALCUDOKU

6	5	3	1	2	4
4	1	2	5	3	6
2	3	1	6	4	5
3	6	5	4	1	2
1	4	2	6	3	5
5	2	4	3	6	1

CROSS MATH

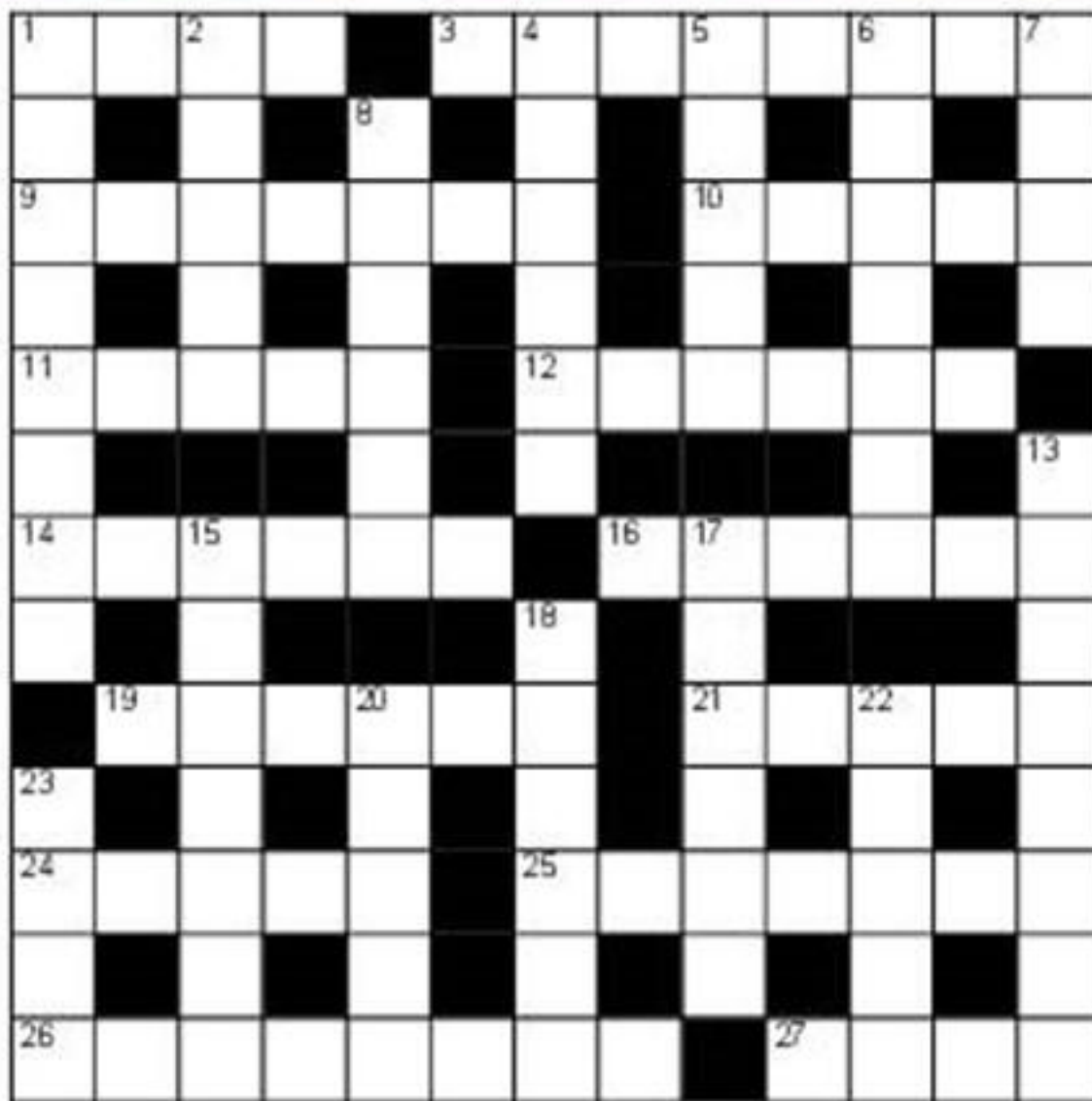
8		18		9
=		=		=
17	=	5	+	4
			+	
15	=	1	×	9
			+	
13	=	2	-	8
			+	

DROPDOWN

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GENERAL KNOWLEDGE CROSSWORD



Across

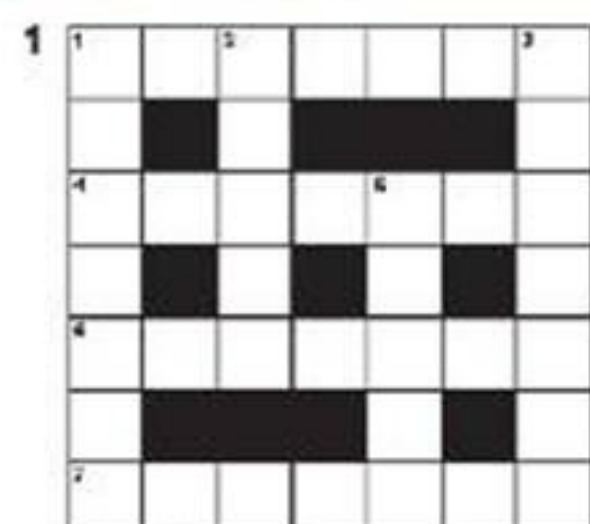
1. Second biggest contributor to global warming (4)
3. Spiny nocturnal insectivorous mammal of family Erinaceidae (8)
9. Rough-skinned edible fruit of the tree *Persea americana* (7)
10. Flat-bottomed boat used for transporting goods (5)
11. Final letter of Greek alphabet (5)
12. Any medicine which induces nausea (6)
14. Person believed to be able to contact both good and evil spirits while in a trance (6)
16. Cipher machine used by the German military during World War II (6)
19. Name given to either morphine or codeine, which are made directly from the poppy plant (6)
21. Roman god of desire, erotic love, attraction and affection, a son of Venus (5)
24. "The only thing that ever really frightened me during the war was the ___ peril": Winston Churchill (1-4)
25. In physics, the tendency of an object to maintain its state of rest (7)
26. Cheese-like food made of curdled soyabean milk (4,4)

27. A long journey on foot, often involving varied terrain (4)

Down

1. Small marine fish of the genus *Hippocampus* (8)
2. Form of oxygen, O₃, found in the upper atmosphere (5)
4. Anti-ship missiles developed by the French government (6)
5. US actor, 1901-1960, sometimes called the 'King of Hollywood' (5)
6. Commercially caught food fish abundant in the North Atlantic, often salted or pickled (7)
7. Clarified butter used extensively in Indian cookery (4)
8. Country linking Central and South America, currency is the balboa (6)
13. Nocturnal burrowing animal found on African grasslands (8)
15. Ancient earthenware storage container with two handles (7)
17. Silvery-white metal, atomic number 28 (6)
18. A profession or occupation to which you are well suited (6)
20. Mexican civilisation overthrown by the Spaniard Hernan Cortes in 1519 (5)
22. Disciple of Jesus who received the keys to the kingdom of heaven (5)
23. Unable or unwilling to speak (4)

QUICK CRYPTICS

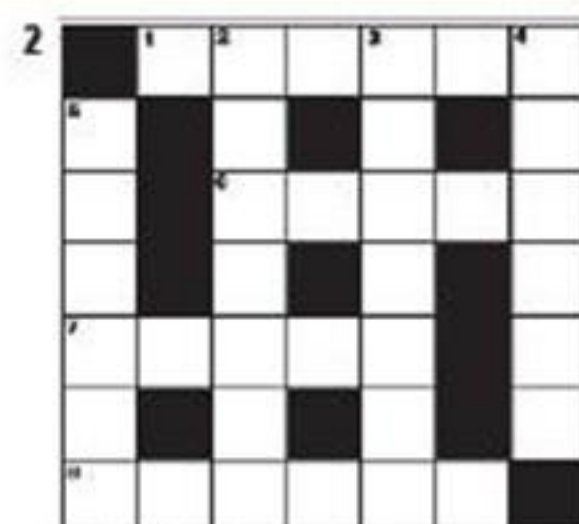


ACROSS

1. To do with yarn returning in colour (7)
4. Non-violent area of water (7)
6. New way of eluding treat (7)
7. Initially good bowling lanes found on ship (7)

DOWN

1. 50 Cent is doing this call with mobile software in (7)
2. Making sense of Honolulu cider (5)
3. Minor royal of French type of board (7)
5. Fake assortment of eas (5)



ACROSS

1. Libra covers most sh (6)
6. Snake you can count on (5)
7. Stout found in wardrobe seven (5)
8. I am in the pink yet a bit down (6)

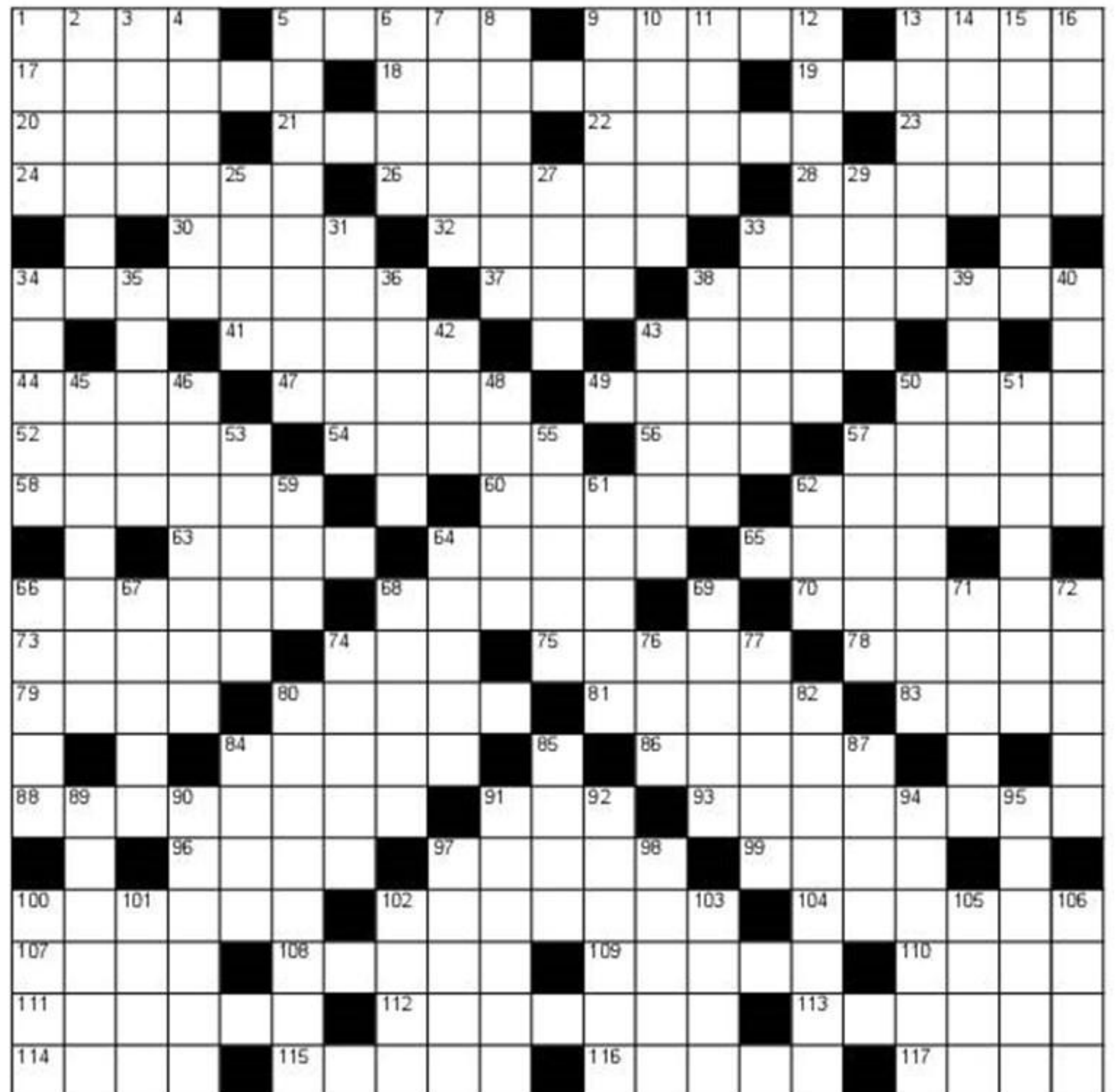
DOWN

2. French castle cat oats on water (7)
3. Sells ID anew and is without cover (7)
4. Street transport, or walk (6)
5. Tom and Ben strangely put in pyramid (6)

'AMERICAN' CROSSWORD

4/1

Crossword grids tend to come in two main styles - Italian and American. 'Italian' grids have roughly the same number of black and white squares, and each clue has to be solved. This puzzle has an 'American' grid, with relatively few black squares and many answers that can be solved completely by filling in other answers.



Across

1. Broth (4)
5. Crustaceans (5)
9. Scent (5)
13. As well (4)
17. Fleet (6)
18. Walk again (7)
19. Away from shore (6)
20. Domestic servant (4)
21. Sedimentary rock (5)
22. Island off south of England (5)
23. Body joint (4)
24. Exclamation of discovery (6)
26. Loop knot that doesn't slip or jam (7)
28. Swaps (6)
30. Circle (4)
32. Gradually deprives of mother's milk (5)
33. Bell chime (4)
34. Secret word or phrase (8)
37. Excavate (3)
38. Suspected (8)
41. Creamy-white colour (5)
43. Begets (5)
44. Con trick (4)
47. Make use of (5)
49. Possessed (5)
50. Toon (anag) (4)
52. Plant of lily family (5)
54. Boredom (5)
56. Star performer (3)
57. Evidence of injuries (5)
58. Picturesque (6)
60. Head (colloq) (5)
62. Gawks (6)

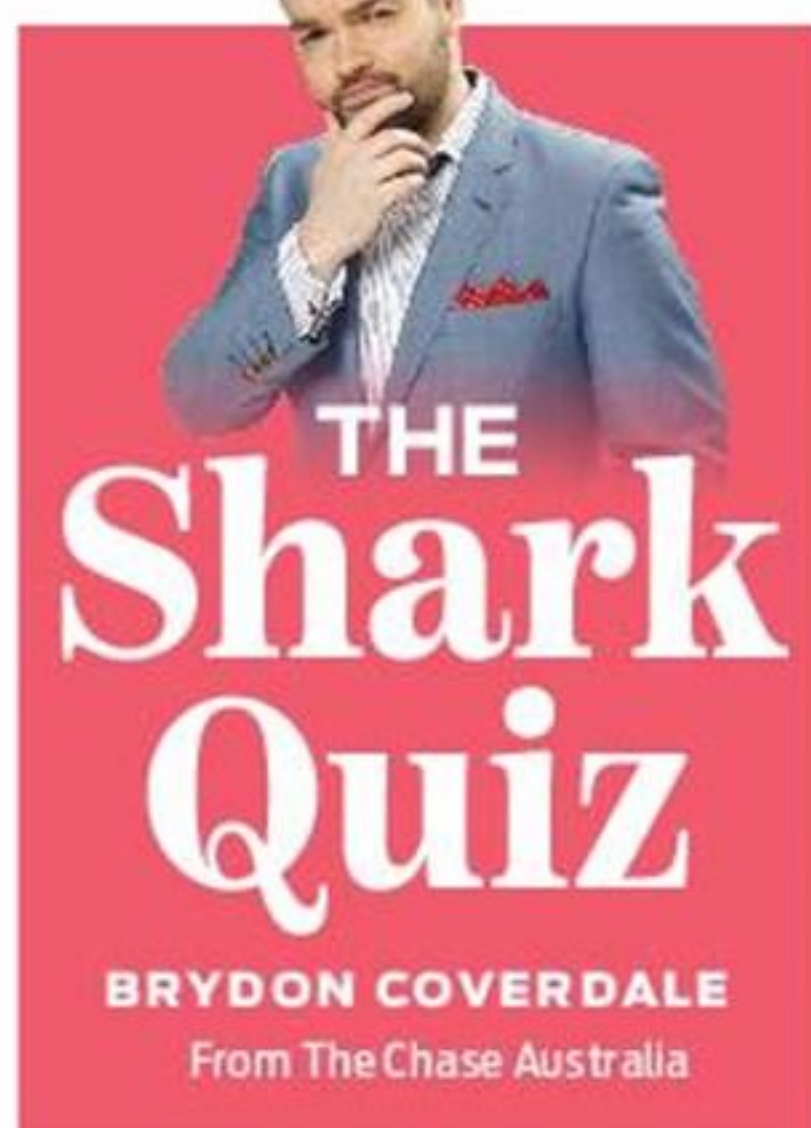
Down

1. Identical (4)
2. Emotional shock (6)
3. Arab ruler (4)
4. Fishing gear (6)
5. History's greatest lover (8)
6. Kuwaiti, e.g. (4)
7. Underneath (5)
8. Braised (6)
9. Stitching (6)
10. Electrical connection to a house (5)
11. Advance slowly (4)
12. Dropped rubbish (8)
13. It turns litmus blue (6)
14. Ground (4)
15. Violent exhalation (6)
16. Poems (4)
25. Flightless bird (4)
27. Hideout (4)
29. Male sheep (4)
31. Orchard (5)
33. Pulped food (5)
34. Annoyances (5)
35. Lacking freshness (5)
36. Booze (5)
38. From that time (5)
39. Navigational aid (5)
40. Rubbish (5)
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51. Quiver (7)
53. Longs for (5)

55. Said in a cold tone of voice (5)
57. Stem (5)
59. Blackguard (3)
61. Expanse of water (5)
62. As written (Latin) (3)
64. Window supports (5)
66. Lint (5)
67. Fat (5)
68. Publicised (5)
69. Cranium (5)
71. Thanks (Fr) (5)
72. Informal language (5)
74. Atmospheres (5)
76. Big shot (3)
77. Pry (5)
80. Place to get books (8)
82. Friendly (8)
84. Kin (4)
85. Wisecrack (4)
87. Masculine (4)
89. Provide with new tools (6)
90. Shoelace hole (6)
91. Shining (6)
92. Thieving bird (6)
94. Extreme fear (6)
95. Tidy (6)
97. He holds up the world (5)
98. Hairstylist's workplace (5)
100. Pretends (4)
101. Circle of light (4)
102. Takes small mouthfuls (4)
103. Wordplays (4)
105. Tiny amount (4)
106. Cooking fat (4)

Solution

Across: 1. Sew, 5. Crabs, 9. Smell, 13. Ayeo, 17. Armada, 18. Retread, 19. Inland, 20. Maid, 21. Skate, 22. Wight, 23. Knee, 24. Eureka, 25. Bowline, 28. Trades, 30. Ring, 32. Weans, 33. Peal, 34. Password, 37. Dig, 38. Summised, 41. Ivory, 43. Sires, 44. Scam, 47. Avail, 49. Owned, 50. Orto, 52. Tulip, 54. Ennu, 56. Ace, 57. Scars, 58. Scenic, 60. Sooner, 62. Stares, 63. Graw, 64. Sick, 65. Liar, 66. Fodded, 68. Asie, 70. Climbs, 73. Lobes, 74. All, 75. Yanks, 78. Knell, 79. Used, 80. Burly, 81. Nouns, 83. Area, 84. Cores, 86. Bloom, 88. Freehold, 91. Gum, 93. Locating, 96. Yaks, 97. Alias, 99. Pile, 100. Athens, 102. Stopgap, 104. Aerial, 107. Coal, 108. Halls, 109. Plumb, 110. Rota, 111. Toledo, 112. Yaks, 113. Passion, 114. Slot, 115. Pussy, 116. Ennu, 117. Rand. Down: 1. Same, 2. Trauma, 3. Ennu, 4. Waders, 5. Casanova, 6. Arab, 7. Below, 8. Stewed, 9. Sewing, 10. Mains, 11. Edge, 12. Lured, 13. Alkal, 14. Land, 15. Sneeze, 16. Odes, 25. Kew, 27. Lar, 29. Rams, 31. Grove, 33. Pures, 34. Pests, 35. Stale, 36. Booze, 38. From that time (5), 39. Navigational aid (5), 40. Rubbish (5), 42. '___ and yang' (3), 43. Ritz (5), 45. 'One flew over the ___ nest' (7), 46. Mixed (7), 48. Hungers (for) (5), 50. Egg-shaped wind instrument (7), 51. Quiver (7), 53. Longs for (5).



1. What is the capital of Japan?
2. Colloquially, to fall madly in love is to be "head over..." what?
3. Baz Luhrmann directed a film adaptation of which Shakespeare play?
4. Which famous painter cut off part of his own ear?
5. What word rhyming with "valid" means pale or lacking in colour?
6. In a standard deck of playing cards, there are how many cards in each suit?
7. David Warner has played his entire Sheffield Shield cricket career for which state?
8. In which '80s TV soap did Priscilla Presley play Bobby Ewing's childhood sweetheart Jenna Wade?

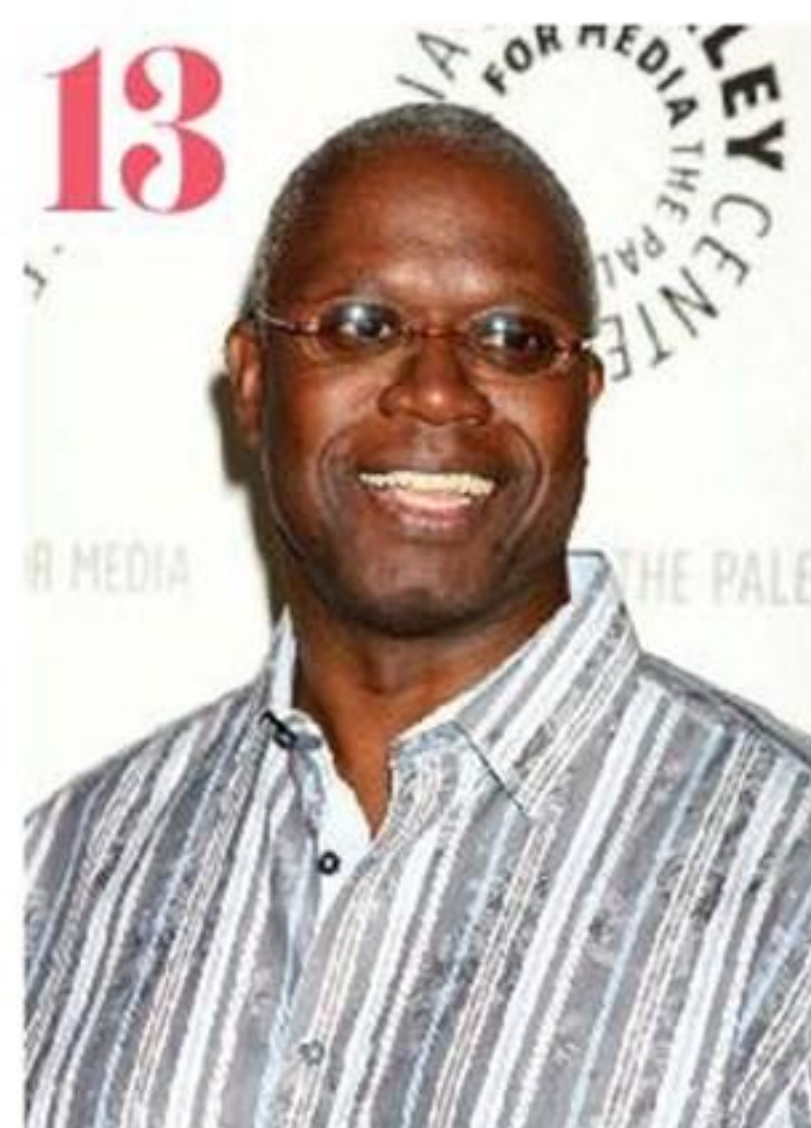
Answers: 1. Tokyo 2. Heels 3. Romeo and Juliet 4. Vincent Van Gogh 5. Pallid 6. 13 7. New South Wales 8. Dallas 9. Mouth 10. Penicillin 11. Houdini 12. Abu Dhabi 13. Brooklyn Nine Nine 14. Tim Tam 15. Estelle Parsons 16. Burma 17. 1920s 18. Sophie 19. Poland 20. Atom Heart Mother - Pink Floyd
Cucumber Castle - Bee Gees; Gasoline Alley - Rod Stewart; Sunflower - Beach Boys; Tea for the Tillerman - Cat Stevens



SCORES

UNDER 10: KEEP AT IT 10-17: YOU'VE GOT THE SMARTS 18-20: WATCH OUT BRYDON THERE'S COMPETITION

9. Baleen is found in what part of a whale's body?
10. Australian Howard Florey won a Nobel Prize for his role in the development of what antibiotic?
11. Which 2023 Dua Lipa hit song takes its title from a famous escapist?
12. Which city in the UAE hosts a Formula One Grand Prix each year?
13. US actor Andre Braugher, who died last month aged 61, played police Captain Raymond Holt in which sitcom?
14. What was the bestselling Arnott's biscuit in 2023?
15. Who was the only person to win an acting Oscar for the 1967 film *Bonnie and Clyde*: Warren Beatty, Faye Dunaway or Estelle Parsons?
16. The country now called Myanmar had what other name when it gained independence on this day in 1948?
17. In what decade was Tutankhamun's tomb discovered?



18. What is the first name of the current Duchess of Edinburgh?
19. In December, former European Council president Donald Tusk was elected prime minister of which country?

THE STUMPER

20. Match these 1970 albums with the artists: Atom Heart Mother, Cucumber Castle, Gasoline Alley, Sunflower, Tea for the Tillerman, Beach Boys, Bee Gees, Pink Floyd, Cat Stevens, Rod Stewart.

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Today, as Mars (the power planet) moves into earthy Capricorn, it gears up to create a "talent triangle". This formation involves Mars and Jupiter working in harmony encouraged by the cosmic teacher, Saturn. Together, they paint a picture of a growing confidence in our ability to turn imaginative ideas into tangible, measurable progress. Yet for this to come to pass, we can't simply sit back and hope for the best. The more enthusiasm we apply to our work the better. And the faster the results of our efforts will be seen.

ARIES MAR 21 - APR 20

There's no point in me telling you that "today is the first day of the rest of your life". You're very familiar with the expression. You know that even though it might feel very similar to yesterday (and tomorrow), it's not. Which emphasises the value of today's forecast. The New Year is underway and your ruler, Mars, is playing an important role in the exciting cosmic outlook. You have the freedom to transform what you want in your world. Why not choose today to be the day to start turning your life into what you want it to be? Let your forecasts for 2024 guide you to success. Visit ozfree.cainer.com

TAURUS APR 21 - MAY 21

Why do we think being stubborn is "wrong"? I think it's a quality that needs to be appreciated. So many people give up at the first obstacle. And change their minds at the drop of a hat. Thank goodness for Taureans. You're not afraid to stand up for your beliefs, even in the face of criticism. Right now though, it's worth questioning your conviction. Could this be a situation where a compromise would be more effective? A small concession could have positive effects today. (And if necessary, you can always go back to your original stance). 2024 will be much better than you think. For insight, visit ozfree.cainer.com

GEMINI MAY 22 - JUN 22

Questions always pop up at the start of a new year. What should you be doing with your life? What do you need to feel fulfilled and happy? These kinds of ponderings are tricky; they can throw us into a quagmire of self-doubt. Which is never a good place to be. Does anyone feel successful all the time? I doubt it. The best strategy to follow is to be confident that whatever you're doing right now, and wherever you're doing it, it's the right thing to be doing. With this attitude any doubts will disappear. And you'll be on the path to progress. Gain power over your future. 2024 brings transformation. Visit ozfree.cainer.com

CANCER JUN 23 - JUL 23

You don't usually struggle to articulate your ideas. So, to find yourself unable to say what's on your heart is making you uncomfortable. You're worried that if you speak out, you'll cause an upset. And you're probably right. Yet your instincts are spot on; you're right to think that something needs to be discussed. Today, be as diplomatic as you can be (but don't be afraid to be bold). You've got the insight and skills to be able to talk about the "elephant in the room". Once it's out in the open, everyone will be relieved, and able to move on. Want to know why 2024 is so inspiring and positive? Visit ozfree.cainer.com

LEO JUL 24 - AUG 23

Before you can set out on the high-seas adventure of 2024, you need to get some work done on your boat. For now, you're moored in a safe harbour and getting on with some rather dull jobs. It's easy to think of other things to do (that would be much more fun). But the tasks you need to complete aren't as tedious as you think. Nor are they going to take long to complete. If you look out towards the horizon, you'll get a feel for the opportunities waiting for you. The preparations you're doing now will enable you to sail out, and seize them. For valuable news about your prospects in 2024, visit ozfree.cainer.com

VIRGO AUG 24 - SEP 23

It's all a matter of perspective. Depending on how we feel, and what we want to see, we view the situations we're dealing with very differently. When we're optimistic, we can find silver linings even in difficult scenarios. But when we're not, it's as if we're wearing dark shades, which give everything a gloomy look. Today, as dynamic Mars enters earthy Capricorn, it brings the energy to fan a glimmer of hope into a realistic aspiration. With just a simple change of attitude you can take steps to make your future much brighter. For great news about the possibilities that await in 2024 visit ozfree.cainer.com

LIBRA SEP 24 - OCT 23

It's astonishing how we all sometimes find ourselves doing the exact opposite of what we know we "should" do. We step on the brake (rather than the accelerator). Or we say "no" to something we ought to say "yes" to. It's easy, with hindsight, to see that we'd have been better off following a different course. Yet looking back with regret is never helpful. If you want to maximise the opportunities 2024 brings your way, you just need to forgive yourself and move on. With a clear conscience, you'll be unstoppable. Don't miss out. For insights, on your outlook for 2024, visit ozfree.cainer.com

SCORPIO OCT 24 - NOV 22

How badly do you want what you want? Hmm... maybe that's not the right word. Instead of how "badly" maybe we should use more positive terminology. How "deeply" maybe? What's important, is that you remember that you don't need to focus on one thing to the detriment of everything else. The start of 2024 is about aspiring to achieve your deepest desire. You need to be dedicated (even when the road ahead isn't smooth). But stay open-minded enough to be able to adapt your approach. Today, the cosmos helps you find the right balance. Let 2024 bring the changes you desire. Visit ozfree.cainer.com

SAGITTARIUS NOV 23 - DEC 21

The start of 2024 is a bit like one of those complicated jigsaws. You don't seem to have an image of what it will look like once it's complete. Aargh. In fact, you're not even sure you've got all the pieces. You're managing to fit some parts together, but they won't join up into a cohesive picture. It's frustrating. Yet with power planet Mars moving into earthy Capricorn, you'll find it easier to direct your focus and concentrate. If you stay motivated, you'll soon find a way to put everything together in a way that makes perfect sense. 2024 brings optimism and hope. Don't miss your 2024 forecasts. Visit ozfree.cainer.com

CAPRICORN DEC 22 - JAN 20

With dynamic Mars entering your sign today, as your journey into 2024 progresses you'll feel more and more aware that the sky has your best interests at heart. The cosmic support you're receiving will be reflected by the opportunities coming your way. If you're not yet feeling galvanised into action, you don't have long to wait. Meanwhile, try focusing on the potential available to you today. Even if it doesn't feel like much, it hides a small treasure. And with the right attitude, you can encourage it to grow into something valuable. Make your dreams come true in 2024. Visit ozfree.cainer.com

AQUARIUS JAN 21 - FEB 19

There's no denying the fact that you're moving into the future. 2024 has arrived and ahead of you lies a blank canvas of possibilities. I hope you're ready. Because there's no going back. If you're regretting a recent choice, which left you feeling uncomfortable, as you move deeper into the new year you'll grow more at ease with it. Deep down, you're growing more confident that you're on the right track. Today, as Mars moves into your neighbouring sign, even taking tentative steps forwards will take you further than you think. For brilliant news about your prospects in 2024, visit ozfree.cainer.com

PISCES FEB 20 - MAR 20

We talk about there being "no time like the present". But it's not always easy to pinpoint when "the present" actually is. It was certainly a very different "present" when this saying originated over 450 years ago. So, maybe you're better off going along with whatever 2024 brings your way for now, and trust/hope that you'll recognise the time to instigate change when it appears? On second thoughts... don't do that. If you're meant to wait, the cosmos will create distractions. But if there are none of those around today, seize the moment. There's hope on your horizon in 2024. Visit ozfree.cainer.com

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ABC TV

6.00 Makers Of Modern Australia (PG, R) **7.00** News Breakfast **9.30** Gardening Australia (R) **10.05** The Princess And The Peas (PG, R) **11.00** Antiques Roadshow (R) **12.00** ABC News At Noon **1.00** Vera (M, R) **2.30** Muster Dogs (PG, R) **3.25** Tenable (PG, R) **4.10** Antiques Roadshow (R) **5.10** Love Your Garden

6.00 Back Roads (PG, R) **6.30** Hard Quiz (PG, R) **7.00** ABC News **7.30** Back Roads (R) **8.00** Grand Designs Transformations (New Series) **9.00** Martin Clunes' Islands Of The Pacific: Papua New Guinea (M, R) **9.50** Fake Or Fortune? (R) **10.50** Finding Alice (M, R) **11.35** The Missing Children (M, R)

1.05 Love Your Garden (R) **1.50** Tenable (PG, R) **2.35** Rage (MA15+adv) **3.30** Classic Countdown (PG, R) **4.30** Rosie Batty's One Plus One (R) **5.00** Makers Of Modern Australia (PG, R)

SEVEN

6.00 Sunrise **9.30** Test Cricket: Pre-Game Show **10.30** Cricket: Third Test: Australia v Pakistan: Day 2: Morning session. From the SCG. **12.30** Test Cricket: The Lunch Break **1.10** Cricket: Third Test: Australia v Pakistan: Day 2: Afternoon session. From the SCG. **3.10** Test Cricket: Tea Break **3.30** Cricket: Third Test: Australia v Pakistan: Day 2: Late afternoon session. From the SCG.

6.00 Seven News (STH/NTH/WAGGA) 7News Local **6.30** (STH/NTH/WAGGA) 7News @ 6.30 **7.00** Cricket: Big Bash League: Game 26: Melbourne Renegades v Hobart Hurricanes **10.30** Seven's Cricket: The Spin **11.00** MOVIE: Stuber (MA15+adv) (2019) An Uber driver's passenger is on a dangerous mission. Dave Bautista

1.00 Black-ish (PG, R) **1.30** Travel Oz (R) **2.00** Home Shopping (R) **4.00** NBC Today **5.00** Seven Early News **5.30** Sunrise

NINE

6.00 Today **9.00** Today Extra Summer (PG) **11.30** 9News Morning **12.00** MOVIE: Love Afloat (R) (2022) Alanna Smith **2.00** Pointless (PG, R) **3.00** Tipping Point (PG, R) **4.00** 9News Afternoon **5.00** Millionaire Hot Seat (R) Hosted by Eddie McGuire

6.00 9News (NTH) 9News **7.00** A Current Affair **7.30** RBT (M, R) A look at police random breath-test patrols **8.30** RPA (PG, R) A woman's rare and aggressive cancer returns **9.30** Children's Hospital (PG, R) A boy scout is bitten by a mystery creature **10.30** Chicago Med (MA15+adv) **11.20** Emergency Call (M, R)

12.10 Tipping Point (PG, R) **1.05** Pointless (PG, R) **2.00** GolfBarons (R) **2.30** Global Shop (R) **3.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping (R) **4.00** Believer's Voice Of Victory (PG) **4.30** A Current Affair (R) **5.00** 9News Early **5.30** Today

TEN

6.00 Morning Programs **10.00** Hungry (R) **10.30** Luxury Escapes (PG, R) **11.00** Food Trail: South Africa (R) **11.30** Planet Shapers (R) **12.00** Bondi Rescue (PG, R) **1.00** Dr Phil (PG, R) **2.00** My Market Kitchen (R) **2.30** Bold (PG, R) **3.00** Ent. Tonight **3.30** Farm To Fork **4.00** Neighbours (PG, R) **4.30** Jamie's Easy Meals For Every Day (R) **5.00** News

6.30 The Project **7.30** Thank God You're Here (M, R) **8.30** Inspired Unemployed (Impractical) Jokers (PG, R) Four mates set out to embarrass each other **9.00** MOVIE: Mean Girls (M, R) (2004) A teenager takes on a clique of girls. Lindsay Lohan, Rachel McAdams **11.00** MOVIE: Clueless (M, R) (1995)

1.00 The Project: Special guests include Daniel Ricciardo **2.00** The Late Show With Stephen Colbert (PG) **3.00** Home Shopping (R) **4.30** CBS Mornings

SBS SBS

6.00 WorldWatch **9.00** Legacy List With Matt Paxton **10.05** Paddington Station 24/7 (PG, R) **11.00** Secret Cities (PG, R) **12.00** BBC News At Ten **12.30** ABC World News Tonight With David Muir **1.00** PBS News **2.00** Underwater Stonehenge (PG, R) **3.00** Mastermind Aust. (R) **3.40** The Cook Up (R) **4.10** The Supercut (PG, R) **5.05** Jeopardy! (R) **5.30** Letters And Numbers (R)

6.00 Mastermind Australia (R) (Australia) **6.30** SBS World News **7.30** Julia Bradbury's Irish Journey (PG, R) (UK) **8.25** The Real Crown: Inside The House Of Windsor (PG, R) (UK) **9.20** Paul Newman: Always On The Move (M, R) (France) **10.25** SBS World News Late **10.55** A Class Apart (MA15+adv) **11.45** Mr Mercedes (MA15+adv) (R)

12.40 Mr Mercedes (MA15+adv) (R) (US) **1.40** Mr Mercedes (MA15+adv) (R) (US) **2.45** Going Places (R) (Australia) **3.45** Barnaby (R) (Australia) **5.00** NHK World English News Morning (Japan) **5.30** WorldWatch

FOXTEL

fox movies premiere (401)
6.00am Haute Couture (Comedy, 2021) **2.35** Ali & Ava (Drama, 2022) **9.10** After Yang (Sci-Fi, 2021) **10.50** A Savage Christmas (Romance, 2022) **12.30pm** David Holmes: The Boy Who Lived (Documentary, 2023) **2.05** The Machine (Comedy, 2023) **4.00** Black Adam (Action, 2022) **6.30** Shazam! Fury Of The Gods (Action, 2023) **8.30** Police Society (Action, 2023) **10.30** Priya Kansara: 10.20 R.I.P.D. 2: Rise Of The Damned (Comedy, 2022) **12.06am** Magic Mile's Last Dance (Drama, 2023) **2.00** Assassin Club (Action, 2023) **4.30** Ticket To Paradise (Romance, 2022) **5.35** Whitney Houston: I Wanna Dance With Somebody (Drama, 2022) **11.20**

FOX SHOW CASE (112)
6.00am Wentworth (M) **7.00** True Blood (MA15+) **8.00** Cub Your Enthusiasm (M) **9.00** Scoff (MA15+) **10.00** Mare Of Easttown (M) **11.00** The Couple Next Door (MA15+) **12.00pm** What We Do In The Shadows (M) **6.30** To Be Advised **7.00** What We Do In The Shadows (M) **7.30** The Couple Next Door (MA15+) **8.30** Smothered (MA15+) **9.00** The Lovers (MA15+) **9.30** Mildred Pierce (M) **11.30** Smothered (MA15+) **12.00am** The Lovers (MA15+) **12.30** What We Do In The Shadows (M) **4.30** To Be Advised **5.00** What We Do In The Shadows (M) **5.30** Entourage (MA15+)

FOX8 (108)
10.00am Entourage (MA15+) **10.30** Two And A Half Men (PG) **11.00** Two And A Half Men (PG) **11.30** Two And A Half Men (PG) **12.00pm** Guessable (M) **1.00** Taskmaster (M) **2.00** Taskmaster (M) **3.00** Rick And Morty (MA15+) **3.30** Whose Line Is It Anyway? (PG) **4.00** Two And A Half Men (PG) **4.30** Two And A Half Men (PG) **5.00** Two And A Half Men (PG) **5.30** Entourage (MA15+) **6.00** Entourage (MA15+) **6.30** Taskmaster (M) **7.30** Taskmaster (M) **8.30** Mike You Laugh Out Loud (PG) **9.30** Two And A Half Men (PG) **10.00** Two And A Half Men (PG) **10.30** Two And A Half Men (PG) **11.00** Entourage (MA15+) **11.30** Entourage (MA15+) **12.00am** Rick And Morty (MA15+) **12.25** Men In Black (PG)

sky news (103/600)
6.00 First Edition **10.00** NewsDay **2.00** Afternoon Agenda **6.00** Peter Credin **7.00** The Soft Report **8.00** Piers Morgan Uncensored **9.00** NewsNight **11.00** Piers Morgan Uncensored **12.00** Sky News UK LIVE

ABC TV PLUS (CH22)

6.00 Children's Programs **5.55** Octonauts **6.10** Piffarates **6.20** Bluey **6.30** Ben And Holly's Little Kingdom **6.40** Andy's Prehistoric Adventures **6.55** Shaun The Sheep **7.05** Star Wars: Young Jedi Adventures **7.20** Bluey **7.30** Spicks And Specks **8.00** Would I Lie To You? (PG) **8.30** Hard Quiz (PG) **9.00** Green (M) **9.40** Penn & Teller: Fool Us (PG) **10.20** Whose Line Is It Anyway? (M) **10.45** Bles (M) **11.10** Would I Lie To You? **11.40** Late Programs

7TWO (CH72)

6.00 Morning Programs **1.00** Escaped To The Country (PG) **2.00** South Aussie With Cosi (PG) **2.30** My Greek Odyssey (PG) **3.30** Harry's Practice **4.00** Animal Rescue: Favorite Marlin **5.30** Escaped To The Country (PG) **6.30** Bargain Hunt **7.30** Father Brown (M) **8.30** Murdoch Mysteries (M) **11.30** Father Brown (M) **9.40** Penn & Teller: Fool Us (PG) **10.20** Whose Line Is It Anyway? (M) **10.45** Bles (M) **11.10** Would I Lie To You? **11.40** Late Programs

9GEM (CH92.95)

6.00 Gideon's Way (PG) **7.00** Creflo Dollar Ministries (PG) **7.30** Skippy The Bush Kangaroo **8.00** TV Shop: Home Shopping **10.30** Bond Vet **11.30** My Favorite Marlin **12.00** Tennis: Brisbane International: Day 5 **5.30** Tennis: United Cup: Day 2: Quarter-finals **11.00** Midsomer Murders (M) **11.00** Memory Lane (PG) **2.30** World's Greatest Natural Wonders (PG) **3.30** Bond Vet (PG) **4.30** My Favorite Marlin **5.00** Animal Tales (PG)

10 BOLD (CH12)

6.00 Morning Programs **8.30** Diagnosis Murder (PG) **9.30** Jake And The Fatman (PG) **10.30** JAG (PG) **12.30** SE Voyager (PG) **2.30** Jake And The Fatman (PG) **3.30** Diagnosis Murder (PG) **5.30** JAG (PG) **7.30** Bul (M) **8.30** NOS (M) **9.25** NCIS: New Orleans (M) **10.20** Evil (MA15+) **11.15** SE Voyager (M) **12.15** Shopping **2.15** Diagnosis Murder (PG) **4.05** JAG (PG)

SBS VLND (CH31)

6.00 WorldWatch **10.00** Shortland St (PG) **12.00** The Takings (M) **12.20** The Indian Pacific: The Full Journey **3.15** WorldWatch **5.15** Counter Space (PG) **5.45** Joy Of Painting **6.15** The Fast History Of (PG) **6.40** Jeopardy **7.30** 8 Out Of 10 Cats Does Countdown (M) **8.30** Beyond Oak Island (PG) **9.20** Beyond Oak Island **10.10** Guns That Changed The Game (PG) **11.10** Locked Up: Teens Behind Bars (M) **12.05** Dark Side Of Comedy (MA15+) **1.00** Late Programs

ABC ME (CH23)

6.00 Children's Programs **4.45** Little Lunch **5.00** Planet Lulu **5.25** Miraculous: Tales Of Ladybug And Cat Noir **5.45** Hotel Transylvania **6.00** Born To Spy **6.30** Operation Ouch! (PG) **7.00** Horrible Histories **7.30** Shaun The Sheep **7.35** Space Now **8.00** Total Drama: Revenge Of The Island **8.25** Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles (PG) **8.45** Mustangs FC **9.30** School Of Rock **9.30** Mythbusters: There's Your Problem! (PG) **9.55** Rage: Synth Special (PG) **11.15** Close

7MATE (CH74)

6.00 Morning Programs **1.00** The Force: BTL (PG) **2.00** Aussie Lobster Men (PG) **3.00** Billy The Exterminator (PG) **3.30** Counting Cars (PG) **4.30** Storage Wars (PG) **5.00** American Restoration (PG) **5.30** American Pickers (PG) **6.30** Pawn Stars (PG) **7.30** Family Guy (M) **8.00** American Dad! (M) **8.30** MOVIE: Land Of The Lost (PG) (2009) **10.35** Roast Night (M) **11.40** Storage Wars (PG) **12.10** Pawn Stars (PG) **11.00** Late Programs

9GO! (CH93.99)

6.00 Children's Programs **12.00** MOVIE: My Little Pony: A New Generation (PG) (2021) **2.00** MOVIE: Cats (2019) **4.00** Family Ties (PG) **4.30** The Addams Family **5.00** Bewitched **5.30** Tennis: Brisbane International: Night 5 **11.00** MOVIE: Man On A Ledge (M) (2012) **1.00** Under The Dome (M) **2.00** Life After Lockup (M) **3.00** Bakugan (PG) **3.30** Beyblade Burst Surge (PG) **4.00** Transformers: Cyberverse (PG) **4.30** Late Programs

10 PEACH (CH11)

6.00 Morning Programs **10.30** Frasier (PG) **11.30** The Neighborhood (PG) **12.30** Becker (PG) **1.30** Big Bang (PG) **2.30** Rules Of Engagement (PG) **3.30** The Neighborhood (PG) **4.30** Becker (PG) **5.30** Frasier (PG) **6.30** Neighbours (PG) **7.00** Big Bang (PG) **8.30** Two And A Half Men (M) **11.00** Frasier (PG) **12.00** Shopping **1.30** Stephen Colbert (PG) **2.30** Two And A Half Men (M) **3.30** Bold (PG) **4.30** Shopping

SBS MOVIES (CH32)

6.00 Morning Programs **1.15** Kiki (PG) (2002) **3.15** The Witches (PG) (1990) **4.55** The Scarlet And The Black (PG) (1983) **7.30** Enigma (M) (2008) Dougray Scott, Kate Winslet **9.40** Jane Got A Gun (MA15+) (2015) Natalie Portman, Joel Edgerton **11.30** Bel Canto (MA15+) (2018) Julianne Moore, Ken Watanabe **12.15** Years A Slave (MA15+) (2013) Chiwetel Ejiofor, Michael Fassbender **3.50** Salvation Boulevard (M) (2011) Greg Kinnear **5.40** Late Programs

7BRAVO (CH75)

6.00 Morning Programs **1.00** Titen Games (PG) **2.00** Shark Tank (PG) **3.00** Judge Jerry (PG) **3.30** Jimmy Fallon (PG) **4.30** Dinner Date (PG) **5.30** Million Dollar Listing NY (PG) **6.30** Shark Tank (PG) **7.30** Snapped (M) **8.30** LA Fire & Rescue (M) **9.30** Below Deck (M) **10.30** Killer Couples (M) **11.30** Housewives Of Beverly Hills (M) **12.30** Snapped (M) **1.30** LA Fire & Rescue (M) **2.30** Below Deck (M) **3.30** Killer Couples (M) **4.30** Late Programs

7FLIX (CH76)

6.00 Morning Programs **1.15** The Food Dude (PG) **1.45** Intolerant Cooks (PG) **2.15** New Idea Test Kitchen **2.45** My Kitchen Rules (PG) **4.30** Bondi Vet (PG) **6.30** 10 Years Younger In 10 Days (PG) **7.30** First Dates UK (M) **8.35** Kitchen Nightmares USA (M) **10.35** Gordon, Gino & Fred: American Road Trip (M) **11.35** Hell's Kitchen USA (M) **12.35** First Dates UK (M) **1.35** Kitchen Nightmares USA (M) **3.00** Royal Pains (M) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (M)

9LIFE (CH94)

6.00 Morning Programs **1.30** Home Town **2.30** The Block (PG) **4.00** Giddy To Pretty **4.30** Home Afloat (PG) **5.00** Home Again With The Fords **6.00** House Hunters Int. **7.00** House Hunters **7.30** House Hunters Reno **8.30** Fixer Upper (PG) **9.30** My Lottery Dream Home (PG) **10.30** Unsellable Houses **11.30** House Hunters Int. **12.30** House Hunters **1.00** House Hunters Reno **2.00** My Lottery Dream Home (PG) **3.00** Unsellable Houses **4.00** Late Programs

NITV (CH34)

6.00 Morning Programs **2.00** Barney **2.30** The Cook Up **3.00** Children's Programs **5.00** Our Stories (PG) **5.30** Taste Of The Territory **6.00** Barney **6.40** Coastal Africa (PG) **7.30** Going Places **8.30** Not Even **9.00** MOVIE: Desperately Seeking Susan (M) (1985) **10.50** First Sounds **11.05** Big Sky Girls **11.30** Jupurula: Man Of Media (PG) **12.00** Express Yourself (M) **12.30** Spirit Taller (PG) **12.55** Kitch's Campool Kooloolie (PG) **1.00** Late Programs

ABC NEWS (CH24)

6.00 Morning Programs **1.30** Landline: Asia Pacific Special **2.00** ABC NewsDay **3.30** Foreign Correspondent **4.00** News **5.00** ABC News **5.30** India Now Summer Special **6.00** Evening News **6.40** If You're Listening **7.00** National News **7.30** Compass **8.00** News Tonight **8.30** Aust Story **9.00** Nightly News **9.30** China Tonight: Summer Special (PG) **10.00** The World **10.30** Foreign Correspondent **11.00** News **11.30** Four Corners **12.15** News **12.40** If You're Listening **1.00** DW News **1.30** 7.30 The Interviews **2.15** Tech Smart Agriculture **2.25** Aust Story **3.00** DW News **3.30** Foreign Correspondent **4.00** DW News **4.30** The Business **5.00** DW News **5.15** Tech Smart Agriculture **5.30** Breakfast Couch

THE WEATHER
SYDNEY 29° 21°
Partly cloudy. High chance of showers, most likely in the afternoon and early evening. The chance of a thunderstorm in the west, possibly severe. Light winds becoming southerly 25 to 35 km/h in the middle of the day.

NEWCASTLE 30° 20°
Mostly sunny morning. High chance of showers, most likely in the afternoon and early evening. Light winds becoming southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h in the middle of the day then tending southerly 20 to 30 km/h in the early afternoon.

CANBERRA 27° 17°
Cloudy. Very high chance of showers, most likely in the afternoon and early evening. The chance of a thunderstorm, possibly severe. Light winds becoming east to southeasterly 15 to 20 km/h in the late afternoon.

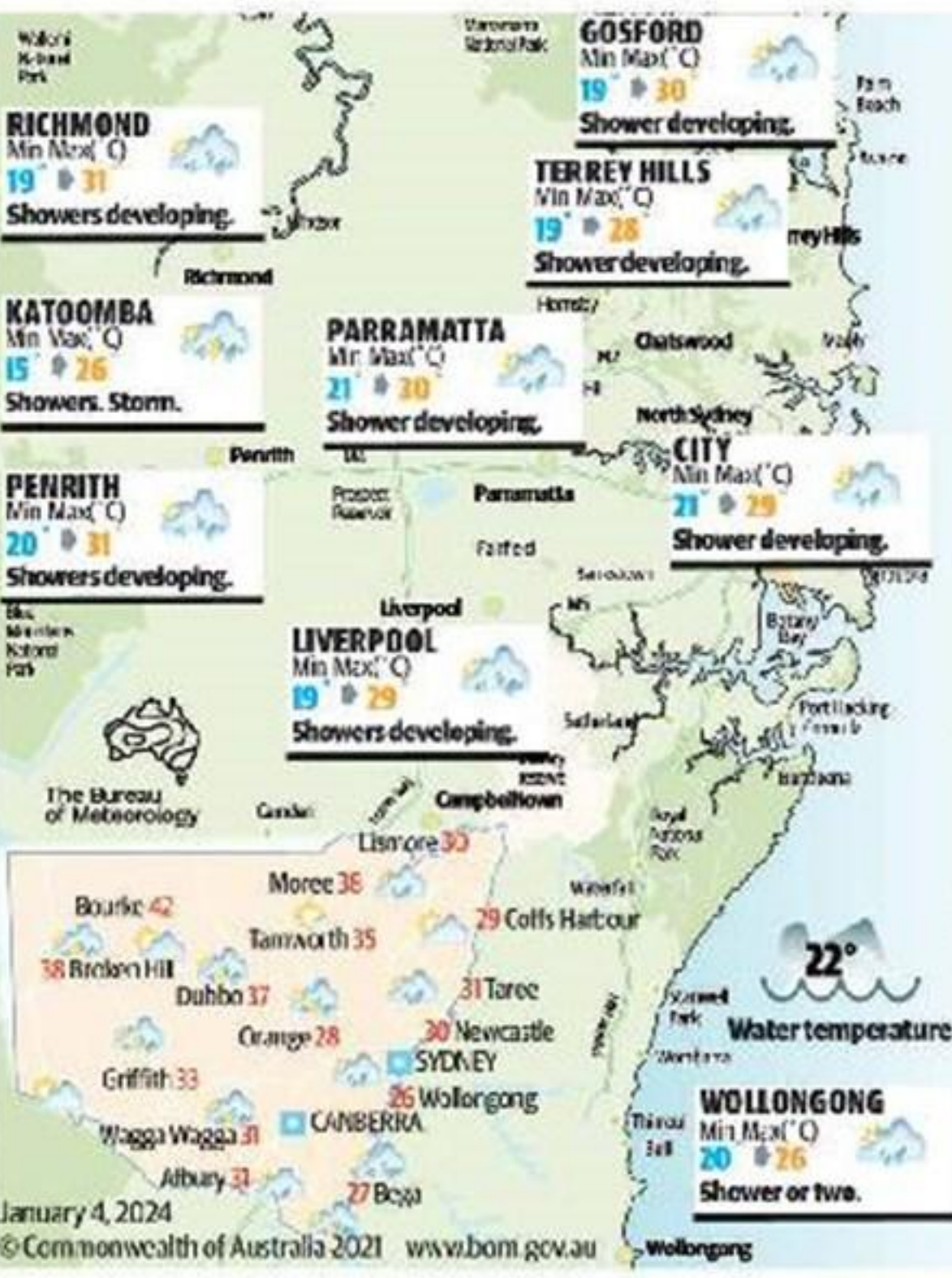
WOLLONGONG 26° 20°
Partly cloudy. High chance of showers, most likely in the afternoon and early evening. The chance of a thunderstorm in the morning and afternoon. Light winds becoming southerly 20 to 30 km/h in the morning.

SYDNEY AHEAD

Fri Shower or two. 25
Sat Partly cloudy. 25
Sun Partly cloudy. 28
Mon Possible shower. 29
Tue Shower or two. 29
Wed Shower or two. 27

CAPITALS TODAY

Adelaide Mostly sunny 30
Brisbane Partly cloudy 32
Darwin Shower, storm 34
Hobart Cloudy 20
Melbourne Cloudy 24
Perth Sunny 32



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10 AM TODAY
SYDNEY on this day
Average maximum 26.0°C
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Low temp 12.7°C (1948)
Wettest day 49.5mm (1920)
Last year 20.9 to 25.8°C
SUN
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MOON TODAY 12:27 am 1:01 pm
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ON THE WATER
Sydney Harbour Winds:
Variable below 10 knots becoming southerly 15 to 20 knots in the middle of the day. Seas: Below 0.5 m. Weather: Becoming cloudy. 70% chance of showers.
Sydney Coast Winds:
Northerly 15 to 20 knots shifting southerly 15 to 25 knots late morning. Seas: 1 to 1.5 m, decreasing to 1 m morning, then increasing to 1 to 2 m afternoon. Swell: Northeasterly around 1 m inshore, increasing to 1 to 1.5 m offshore morning. Weather: Becoming cloudy. 60% chance of showers.

TIDE
TODAY
LOW 8:44 am 0.8m
LOW 9:35 pm 0.6m
HIGH 2:58 am 1.32m
HIGH 2:41 pm 1.4m
MOON
Third Quarter January 4
New Moon January 11
First Quarter January 18
Full Moon January 26

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Late of Annangrove

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Always in our hearts

Car's family and friends are invited to attend his funeral service to be held at Castledrop Crematorium, Windsor Road, Rouse Hill on Saturday 6th January 2024 at 12 noon.



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PETROLO, Giuseppe (Joe)

PETROLO, Giuseppe (Joe)
Late of East Ryde
16.07.1926 - 15.12.2023
Aged 97 years

Much loved husband of 73 years to Augusta, loving father and father-in-law of John, Kathy, Krista, Kenaye and Teresa & Chris. Loving grandfather of Lara, Lisa-Marie, Olivia & Roseanne & loving great-grandfather of many.

He will be sadly missed.

A Funeral Service will be held on Tuesday 9th January 2024 at 10:30am, Catholic Church.

151 Cox's Rd, North Ryde to commence at 10:30am. Following the service the casket will proceed to Macquarie Park Cemetery, corner of John Rd & Darling Rd, Macquarie Park.

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MCMAHON

Decima Christina
11.2.1938 - 2.1.2024

Late of Denham Court

The relatives and friends of Decima are kindly invited to attend her Funeral Mass to be held on Tuesday 9th January 2024 at St Thomas More Catholic Church, Ruse commencing at 12:30pm.

"Private Cremation"

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made at the time of service or Online to the Australian Cancer Research Foundation.

Michelle Roffe
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CASE, Beverley

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It's been 12 long years since you left us and you are still very much loved and loved. Love, Mary & family xx

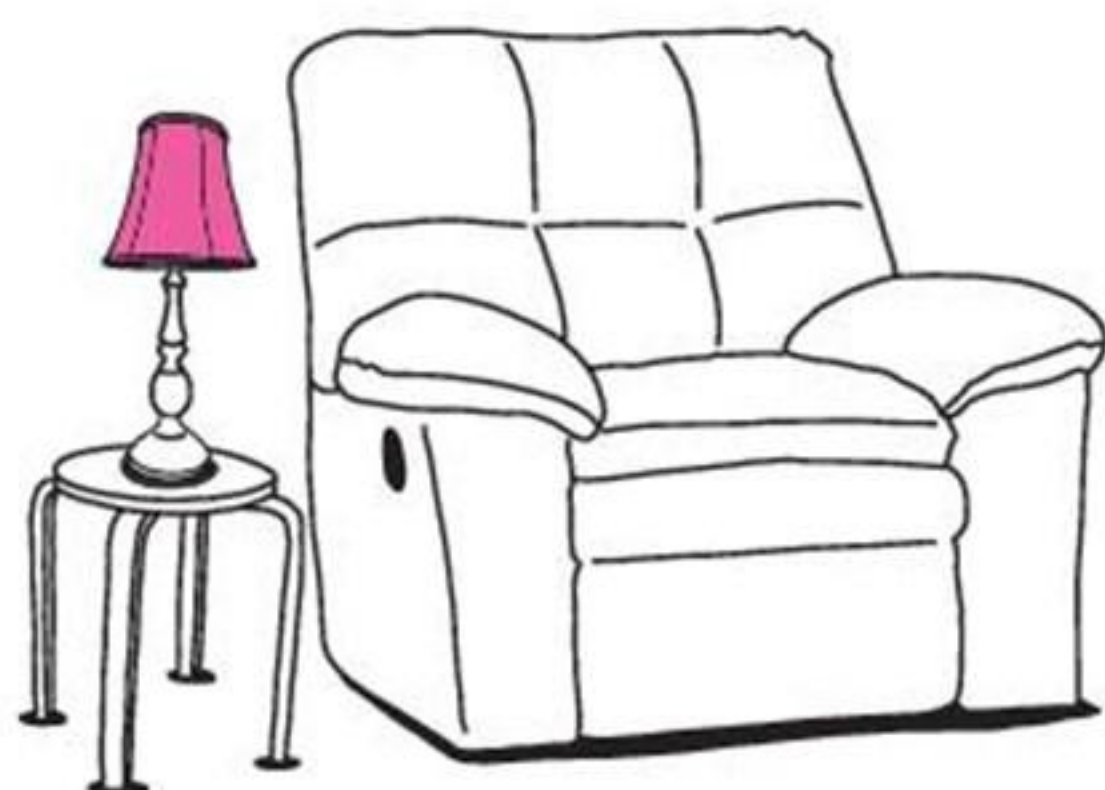
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M denotes middle runner. W denotes wide-runner.

Best Bet: Indefatigable (Race 8)

Next Best Bet: Holly Valley (Race 1)

R1 Madsen Meats 300m 12.11

\$1890 Maiden

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 5788 WHISKEY COWBOY	NBT	S Lockhart	
2	R 85 INTEGRITY WINTER	NBT	R Andrews	
3	R 8533 JENNY BOURBON	NBT	C Supple	
4	R 72 HOLLY VALLEY	NBT	D Winters	
5	R VACANT BOX			
6	R 4264 LAST LAUGH	NBT	S Casey	
7	R 3554 TRASH PANDA	NBT	S Lockhart	
8	R 8366 TAKE A RISK	NBT	S McDiamid	

TIPS: HOLLY VALLEY 4, Last Laugh 6, Trash Panda 7, Jenny Bourbon 3.

The Hound says: HOLLY VALLEY (4) had no luck on debut and gave a sight last week when showing early speed, ready to win now and won't find a more suitable race to get her maiden win out of the way. LAST LAUGH (6) looks the logical threat, had plenty of chances but played over this T/D on 8 occasions. TRASH PANDA (7) and JENNY BOURBON (3) have minor claims.

R2 Richmond Bakery 484m 12.29

\$3210 Mixed Maiden/Grade 5 (0-1 Wins)

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 147 SKYLAR WALKING	2771	T Hindmarsh	
2	R 3761 KNOW ALL LEAH	FSTD	J Hancock	
3	R 245 STUNNING LULU	NBT	D Richardson	
4	R 2634 WHAT ABOUT MICK	NBT	B Whelan	
5	R VACANT BOX			
6	M 2163 MISS RICO	FSTD	B Northfield	
7	M 3414 LADY RICO	FSTD	B Northfield	
8	R 6742 BOK ARM SASSY	NBT	G Northfield	

TIPS: STUNNING LULU 3, Skylar Walking 1, What About Mick 4.

The Hound says: STUNNING LULU (3) was beaten a whisker over this T/D on debut, beaten as an odds on favourite twice since but has upside and should give this a shake. SKYLAR WALKING (1) won nicely here on debut and can bounce back now after a couple of failures. WHAT ABOUT MICK (4) is knocking on the door after recent placings and KNOW ALL LEAH (2) has claims.

R3 Labdokes Hub 300m 12.47

\$2590 Mixed 4/5

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 1432 SHE'S ALL CHARM	1691	D Casey	
2	R 6437 BOK ARM LUNA	1707	G Northfield	
3	R 1123 ROBBEL LENNY	1659	B Ellis	
4	R 7775 TRANQUIL BEN	1697	G Robertson	
5	R VACANT BOX			
6	M 5543 LITTLE GOMEZ	1676	R Andrews	
7	R 1434 WISH COME TRUE	1684	S Casey	
8	R 4242 HERE TODAY	1682	J King	

TIPS: ROBBEL LENNY 3, She's All Charm 1, Wish Come True 7.

The Hound says: ROBBEL LENNY (3) is a touchy beginner but has high speed when hitting the ground and has a blistering 16.59pb, hard to beat. SHE'S ALL CHARM (1) has enough speed to use the rails d'aw, exerts around here and looks a leading contender. WISH COME TRUE (7) stalled in a flying 16.84 here recently and can threaten. HERE TODAY (8) should be competitive.

R4 Charcoal Inn 411m 1.07

\$240 Grade 5 (1-2 Wins)

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 8476 BLAZING BONUS	NBT	A Bradley	
2	M 7351 ROSY LONE	FSTD	D Watts	
3	R 1864 WILFUL DAMAGE	FSTD	T Duncan	
4	R 1561 FRYING BONNIE	FSTD	B Ellis	
5	R VACANT BOX			
6	R 7213 TINY BACIA	FSTD	S Lockhart	
7	R 2635 KINGSBRAE OEL	2398	M Ford	
8	R 6335 DIVA'S SHINE	FSTD	J King	

TIPS: FRYING BONNIE 4, Rosy Lone 2, Tiny Bacia 6, Diva's Shine 8.

The Hound says: FRYING BONNIE (4) is risky at box rise and can mix form as a result but did win nicely at Grafton last start and has the turn of speed to give this a shake. ROSY LONE (2) was a dominant maiden winner over the short course here last start and can go on with it now. TINY BACIA (6) has early speed and shown enough to give this a shake.

R5 McDonalds Pharmacy 411m 1.27

\$240 Grade 5 (1-2 Wins)

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 4124 BUGATTI SASH	FSTD	J Davis	
2	M 6252 EMBER LAD	2414	S Lockhart	
3	R 7423 MR. FAVOUR	2337	M Beach	
4	R 2634 LUNA ANNE	NBT	T Hindmarsh	
5	R 2167 OKAY MERCEDES	NBT	D Scells	
6	R 5787 FEROCIOUS EZMAE	FSTD	A Bunney	
7	R 7577 FAN COOL UNIT	2403	A Bradley	
8	R 8534 LUNA STARLINE	NBT	W Gilbert	

TIPS: LUNA ANNE 4, Luna Starline 8, Okay Mercedes 5, Mr. Favour 3.

The Hound says: LUNA ANNE (4) has played in 3 of 5 starts over this T/D and has the speed to offset the middle draw, looks very hard to beat. LUNA STARLINE (8) has been going ok late without winning, this is no harder and can threaten. OKAY MERCEDES (5) hasn't had much go right in her past couple at Grafton and can improve. MR. FAVOUR (3) has each way claims.

R6 Palmerbet Bookies Bag 411m 1.47

\$2730 Non Graded

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 1331 MASANI GIRL	2314	C Field	
2	R 1143 FERNANDO DIVA	2299	T Jordan	
3	R VACANT BOX			
4	R 1121 BURN THE EDGE	2324	D Winters	
5	R 5316 MERRY DASH	2296	N Creighton	
6	R VACANT BOX			
7	R 4717 MR. IMPORTANT	2335	M Beach	
8	R 2464 MAGIC SECRET	2299	B Beach	

TIPS: FERNANDO DIVA 2, Burn The Edge 4, Magic Secret 8, Masani Girl 1.

The Hound says: FERNANDO DIVA (2) is a classy sprinter with high speed, 7 time winner over this T/D and is drawn to take plenty of beating today. BURN THE EDGE (4) took control early and was never headed in 23.34 here last start, looks genuine threat. MAGIC SECRET (8) can run quick time when on song and has form that rates in MASANI GIRL (1) should run well.

R7 Labdroke It! 484m 2.07

\$3190 Mixed 4/5

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 3573 RUN WEST	2756	R Buggea	
2	M 3412 GYPSY JOKER	2747	R Coolie	
3	R 4114 DARKSEID	2784	S Staples	
4	R 7672 BEEN FRAMED	2775	B Ellis	
5	R VACANT BOX			
6	R 3116 UNQUENCHABLE	2754	M Beach	
7	R 7627 IRIS HBISTOE	NBT	J King	
8	R 1113 SANDAVE JEANIE	2772	D Richardson	

TIPS: GYPSY JOKER 2, Sandave Jeanie 8, Unquenchable 6, Been Framed 4.

The Hound says: GYPSY JOKER (2) has been airborne in recent weeks and exerts over this T/D, drawn to drive through early and take all sorts of beating. SANDAVE JEANIE (8) will be burning for ward in their initial stages and has plenty of ability, major player. UNQUENCHABLE (6) put together back to back wins here recently and BEEN FRAMED (4) should run honestly.

R8 Tattersall's Hotel 411m 2.22

\$2410 Grade 5

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 1272 JUST ALIAR	2344	R Andrews	
2	R 6726 SEDUCTIVE ZARA	2350	J Childs	
3	R 5448 BOK ARM LUCKY	NBT	J Childs	
4	R 1152 INDEFATIGABLE	2315	W Gilbert	
5	R VACANT BOX			
6	M 5323 MEG'S GIRL	2326	N Creighton	
7	R 4648 SUNSET CHARLIE	2366	T Duncan	
8	R 2351 PINUP	2340	C Field	

TIPS: INDEFATIGABLE 4, Just Aliar 1, Pin Up 8, Meg's Girl 6.

The Hound says: INDEFATIGABLE (4) is a smart pup with high speed, won 4 from 7 so far and all have been over this T/D, on an upward curve and clearly the one to beat again. JUST ALIAR (1) has been racing in very consistent form of late and has the speed to threaten from the rails draw. PINUP (8) bounced back here last start and must be respected.

R9 Norco Rural Casino 300m 2.49

\$2410 Grade 5

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 6364 LET THEM GO	1692	J Davis	
2	M 8657 MISS GLEDHILL	1694	J Childs	
3	R 812 RICKY TALKS	1691	R Coolie	
4	M 2713 TROOPER INK	1699	D Winters	
5	R 31 KELLY VALLEY	1715	D Winters	
6	R 8635 GEORGE BOURBON	1719	C Supple	
7	M 1 HOPE PARK	F94	J Davis	
8	R 3231 BUGATTI TALENT	1691	J Davis	

TIPS: RICKY TALKS 3, Trooper Ink 4, Kelly Valley 5, Let Them Go 1.

The Hound says: RICKY TALKS (3) broke through in 16.91 here two back and was then solid last time when up in grade, still has room to improve and should take beating. TROOPER INK (4) isn't brilliant early so needs luck from the draw but shown enough to threaten. KELLY VALLEY (5) has early speed and plenty of upside, major player. LET THEM GO (1) must be respected.

R10 Labdrokes Odds Surge 300m 3.09

\$2410 Grade 5

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 5767 CHIEF BEACH	1707	S Lockhart	
2	R 1216 MICHELLE BOURBON	1691	C Supple	
3	R 3677 CASINO DREAM	1671	C Supple	
4	R 7274 NDORINGA JACK	1675	J Wells	
5	R 5336 ROBBEL TED	NBT	B Ellis	
6	R 7711 CASH RUN	1680	R Coolie	
7	R 2672 TRANQUIL RILEY	1695	G Robertson	
8	M 6318 BALMA IN JUROR	1714	T Duncan	

TIPS: CASH RUN 6, Robbel Ted 5, Michelle Bourbon 2, Koolinga Jack 4.

The Hound says: CASH RUN (6) has returned from a break in devastating form with back to back wins here in flying time, on an upward curve and no reason he can't win again. ROBBEL TED (5) has played in 4 of 5 over this T/D and can threaten with a touch of luck early from the draw. MICHELLE BOURBON (2) is already a 4 time winner here and drawn to run well.

OTHER MEETINGS TODAY:

GUNNDAH - FIRST RACE 3.49PM

TIPS BY THE HOUND

Gunnedah Best Bet: Give It Away (Race 12)

Gunnedah Next Best: Head Them Up (Race 9)

*For the Latest odds go to TheDogs.com.au

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Best Bet: Red Medusa (Race 6)

Next Best Bet: Cawbourne Apollo (Race 8)

R1 Ryan's Cleaning Service 297m 6.52

\$1890 Maiden

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	M 64 OSCAR FAITH	FSH	R Brewer	
2	R UNMATCHED	FSH	C Bell	
3	R 3855 MISS NARLA	NBT	J Grech	
4	R RUBY'S WISH	FSH	J Scerri	
5	R VACANT BOX			
6	R 87 KEGON LEGS	NBT	E Kitchen	
7	R 56 SARAH VILLE	NBT	W White	
8	M 7644 MAJOR JOHNSON	NBT	M Johnson	

TIPS: RUBY'S WISH 4, Unmatched 2, Oscar Faith 1, Miss Narla 3.

R2 Greyhound Clubs NSW 297m 7.13

\$1890 Maiden

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 8773 CORLESS A SAILOR	NBT	T Corless	
2	R 6245 I'M THE BRODIE	NBT	W Kraeft	
3	M 8478 VILLAGE GIRL	FSH	R Walter	
4	R ONLY FOUR	FSH	R Brewer	
5	M 477 BUSY GOING	FSH	M Spiteri	
6	R 4256 PLEGRIDY BLUES	NBT	E Kitchen	
7	R 77 SHY SUZY	NBT	B Campbell	
8	R 34 NANA ROSARIA	NBT	J Mcaliffe	

TIPS: ONLY FOUR 4, Nana Rosaria 8, I'm The Brodie 2, Corless A Sailor 1.

The Hound says: ONLY FOUR (4) has found a nice race to kick off career in. Should be well supported. Respect. NANA ROSARIA (8) and I'M THE BRODIE (2) look the best who have started. Nana may have only had the 2 starts but does look more reliable while Brodie can show early speed when manages to nail the jump. Both chances of showing up.

R3 Sky Racing 520m 7.37

\$1890 Maiden

2	R	2753	SUNSHINE GAL	NBT	G Hore	
3	R	6245	I'M THE BRODIE	NBT	W Kraeft	
3	R	8478	VILLAGE GIRL	FSH	R Walter	
4	R	2235	IMPLODING MIRAGE	NBT	G Elidick	
5	R	4443	TRUNKY IRENE	NBT	M Godden	
6	R	4537	RAY VILLE	NBT	J White	
7	R	4422	STILTON LANE	NBT	J Bolwell	
8	R		BANDIT DARYL	FSH	A Langman	
9	R	3555	STILTON DOLL	(r) NBT	J Bolwell	

TIPS: RITZA TRISH 3, Bandit Daryl 8, Formers Destiny 2, Stilton Lane 7.

The Hound says: The 3 debutants in this race and all nicely bred and in good hands. All 3 should be respected. RITZA TRISH (3) and BANDIT DARYL (8) are sure to be well supported. Betting moves may be the best guide. FORMERS DESTINY (2) nicely bled and sure to be well educated on track. Many others not out of it with STILTON LANE (7) showing the best of late.

R4 Wick Racing 297m 7.55

\$2590 Mixed 4/5

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 2544 PU RINA BALE	1701	S Rhodes	
2	M 4232 PAYING THE PRICE	1703	F Goodwin	
3	R 4662 EBONY PANDA	1694	R Alcock	
4	R 2678 KENSA LASS	1704	B McCauley	
5	S 1765 SKEDADDLE LUCY	1702	M Suttie	
6	R 1332 ROCK BURNER	1719	J Brown	
7	R 2233 KAIZEN SHADOW	FSH	C Bilal	
8	M 2111 STILL WATER	1699	G Coles	

TIPS: STILL WATER 8, Kaizen Shadow 7, Paying The Price 2, Ebony Panda 3.

The Hound says: Tough open race. Can make a case for every runner. STILL WATER (8) clocked a good 16.99 winning over this trip two back. Can handle the wide draw, chance. KAIZEN SHADOW (7) very speedy chaser who should be suited at this distance. Can lead, can win. PAYING THE PRICE (2) risky but has ability to run a nice race with clear running. Can win.

R5 Dapto Bowling Citizens Club 297m 8.19

\$2730 Non Graded

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	R 1343 NINJA MAC	1677	R Alcock	
2	R 2116 THING ONE	1710	A Bell	
3	R 5137 GOOD ODDS HONEY	1704	A Bell	
4	M 5311 TOWERING LARRY	1704	B Smith	
5	R 3135 THYBULLE BALLE	1693	S Rhodes	
6	R 1251 BOAZ	1679	R Brewer	
7	R 1117 ROSEBERRY HUSTLER	1684	J Crowder	
8	M 4415 ALL FOR IRISH	1694	R Alcock	

TIPS: ROSEBERRY HUSTLER 7, All For Irish 8, Ninja Mac 1, Good Odds Honey 3.

The Hound says: ROSEBERRY HUSTLER (7) very speedy chaser who loves racing over this trip. If crosses in front early will be hard to catch. ALL FOR IRISH (8) should get a nice run down the outside if steps well. Can run a big race, chance. NINJA MAC (1) with clear running after the early has the ability to run fast times. Chance if jumps well.

R6 Labdrokes Hub 600m 8.37

\$4210 Grade 5

Bk	P4 Dog	PB	Trainer	Early Speed
1	M 4125 CANYASMOKE THEM	3446	A Lord	
2	R 6664 GENTLE GEMMA	NBT	G Hore	
3	R VACANT BOX			
4	R 1227 SAINTLY	NBT	S Fairbairn	
5	R 1184 RED MEDUSA	3448	C Betts	
6	R VACANT BOX			
7	R 4425 LOCHINVAR PEARL	NBT	R King	
8	M 554 MELLICAT BLUE BOY	FSH	J Mellon	

TIPS: RED MEDUSA 5, Canya Smoke Them 1, Lochinvar Pearl 7, Melli-cat Blue Boy 8.

• ON SKY RACING 1

• R denotes rails-runner. S denotes straight runner.
M denotes middle runner. W denotes wide-runner.

Best Bet: RED MEDUSA (5) was impressive in both her wins over this trip showing early speed and winning in good times. Hard to beat if finds clear running early. CANYASMOKE THEM (1) has the early speed to lead. Can run a cheeky race out in front, chance. LOCHINVAR PEARL (7) small field should suit but may need touch of luck early. Chance.

R7 Labdrokes Communities 297m 8.58

\$2410 Grade 5

Bk	P4 Dog</
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Kings' part-time Glover

Angus Glover was the unsung hero who defied a rib cartilage injury and struggles to breathe to guide the Sydney Kings to back-to-back championships.

Flash forward to this season and Glover's role has been reduced in a star-studded Kings roster – and it hasn't gone unnoticed.

The underrated guard's minutes have dropped in NBL24 to 14.2 minutes a game, compared to 16.6 and 19.4 minutes in the past two title-winning seasons.

And it's not like Glover isn't performing when he gets his chance on the court.

Look at Sydney's last-round win over Cairns, for example.

Glover was the catalyst for the Kings' first quarter turnaround. He came off the bench with four minutes left in the first and dropped six points to help Sydney haul in a six-point deficit to regain the lead.

Glover also started the fourth quarter, but was subbed out of the game with six minutes remaining.

He finished the game with six points in his 10 minutes on the floor.

Respected voices have described Glover's slide in minutes this season as "bewildering", given the guard possess the "grit" and "edge"

the Kings have lacked at both ends of the floor.

NBL great and former Kings coach Andrew Gaze pointed out Glover's inconsistent court time during the commentary.



"Angus came in, hit a couple of shots and looked good and then he didn't get back on the court," Gaze said.

"He then started the fourth, but only for a few minutes."

"He (Kings coach Mahmoud Abdelfattah) has got some talent on that team that he has to find minutes for and it's hard because there are a lot of

guys who are similar."

Sydney haven't been as consistent as past seasons, especially on the defensive end, but Gaze believes the men in purple and gold still possess the talent to contend for a rare three-peat.

The third-placed Kings face an enormous challenge against the league-leading Melbourne United at Qudos Bank Arena today.

United recorded a remarkable come-from-behind victory over Sydney in round 8.

The Kings led by 15 points at halftime before Melbourne charged home on the back of a 40-21 final-quarter surge.

Sydney will go in as underdogs against title favourite United, but Gaze isn't ruling out the back-to-back champions just yet.

"Put a line through them at your peril, I say," he said.

"I think they've still got enough if they're able to get it going. They've still got time and they're right there on the ladder, so they are still in contention and can cause some problems. You only have to look at what Perth were doing to start the season."

"The Wildcats' defence was pretty bad and eventually they found the right formula and it has been a complete turnaround for them."

36ERS
URGED TO
ASK GOORJ

Brian Goorjian once said he'd never coach the Adelaide 36ers, but 36ers legend Brett Maher hopes the GOAT of Australian basketball coaching will reconsider his stance.

The last-placed 36ers are on the lookout for a new coach after parting ways with CJ Bruton mid-season.

Adelaide officials have stated the club will search far and wide for a new coach, but Maher believes the best option could be Goorjian (pictured).

The NBL's most successful mentor told this column he will coach domestically after this year's Paris Olympics, which may open the door for a club like Adelaide.

"I'd love for the club to chat to Brian," said Maher, who won three NBL titles at Adelaide in 1998, 1999 and 2002.

"I really respect him and his abilities. He coached me at the 2004 Olympics and I played against him for a number of years."

"I remember when there was a huge rivalry and he said he'd never coach in Adelaide, but hopefully things have potentially changed since then."

Maher is close with 36ers interim coach Scott Ninnis, but he concedes his mate may need more wins to secure a shot at the role moving forward.

"I think Scotty would have to do well for the rest of the season to be considered, but he is still an option there as well."

WILD KYLE
BACK FROM
WILD WEST

Veteran guard Kyle Adnam is back in Australia after an eye-opening stint in the "Wild West" of Europe.

The 30-year-old former South East Melbourne captain's experience with Romanian club CSU Sibiu was a mix of incredible life and basketball experiences – soured by the all-too-familiar struggle faced by countless imports in the helter-skelter world of European basketball.

Adnam was in a constant battle just to get paid, regularly played in substandard facilities and confronted a professional culture that pales in comparison to what the NBL has set.

"The competition in the EuroCup was so elite and the crowds were insane," Adnam told Crosscourt.

"People were lighting flares, midgame, and it was so loud that there were times when you couldn't call a play as the point guard – some crazy experiences that I'll never forget in my entire life," Adnam told Crosscourt.

"But there's a darker side

that's not all it's cracked up to be. I'd heard plenty of stories and now I have my own. It makes you appreciate how the NBL is presented and the industry standard that it has set but I'm still glad I challenged myself and have that experience in Europe as part of my journey."

And so, after 11 games across the regular season, Romania Cup and EuroCup where he averaged 10 points and 3 assists, the Victorian has parted ways with Sibiu and is back in Australia and looking for a job in the NBL.

The 2018 NBL champion is acutely aware an opportunity will only come as an injury replacement or in the less-likely event a club decides to make a roster change, but he's equally confident he can help drive a team's championship hopes.

"I understand it's difficult for teams to turn their whole season on its head, unless there's an injury," he said. "I'm pumped to hopefully be back in the NBL one day – it's just a matter of when and where."



Kyle Adnam tries to break through the defence of 36er Mitch McCarron during an NBL clash last season. Picture: Getty Images

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Perth treading fine line between Henshall and pain

The Perth Wildcats are playing winning basketball – and that's made it hard for one of Australia's most talented teenagers Ben Henshall to break into John Rillie's rotation.

Henshall, 19, is almost certain to have NBA workouts in the off-season before returning for the second year of his deal with the Wildcats.

It's not a major concern at the moment but some in the Red Army do worry Henshall

(pictured) could go the way of another beloved local in Luke Travers, one day, if he's not afforded the chance to test himself and develop in the heat of game situations.

Rillie has shown a willingness to experiment and change things up and that's helped him right the Wildcats' ship.

Bryce Cotton basically plays a full game every night in one

of the two available guard spots and, with Michael Harris seizing his chance and Rillie leaning on the experience of Tai Webster, the young WA local has seen the court just four times in the last 13 games – for eight minutes and 10 seconds.

Crosscourt has been told there was an early knock on the teen's ability to guard NBL-level talent but it's

understood the basketball junkie has improved considerably on that end of the floor. It's hard not to get better when you're guarding three-time MVP Bryce Cotton every day, especially for a teenager who already has a prodigious work ethic.

"Ben's learning under some really experienced guards so when you're backing up Tai and Corey Webster, Bryce, this level of guard, for him, as a rookie, it's part of coming into

the league," Perth's general manager of basketball operations Danny Mills said.

"One thing about Ben is he comes in every day, puts in extra work, comes in on off days, and he's consistently competing. He wants to get better so, for him, it's just about being patient."

It was announced, on Wednesday, Henshall would join the Otago Nuggets in the NZ NBL for its upcoming season.

**NBL
ROUND 14
THURSDAY**
Sydney Kings v
Melbourne United
7.30pm, Qudos Bank Arena

FRIDAY
Illawarra Hawks v South
East Melbourne Magic
7.30pm, WIN Entertainment
Centre

SATURDAY
Tasmania JackJumpers v
Cairns Taipans
5.30pm, MyState Bank
Arena
Adelaide 36ers v
Melbourne United
8pm, Adelaide
Entertainment Centre

SUNDAY
New Zealand Breakers v
Perth Wildcats
2pm, Spark Arena
Sydney Kings
v Brisbane Bullets
4pm, Qudos Bank Arena

Roos ready to lift Cup

Martin Gabor

It's been nine years since their Asian Cup win on home soil, and Socceroos star Craig Goodwin "genuinely believes" the Aussies can go all the way at this year's tournament in Qatar that begins next week.

The Socceroos are one of the favourites to win the event on the back of their strong World Cup showing in 2022, and they'll be out to make an early statement when they face Bahrain in a warm-up match on Sunday morning (AEDT).

The Socceroos are 25th in the FIFA rankings, with Japan, Iran and South Korea the only Asian nations ahead of them.

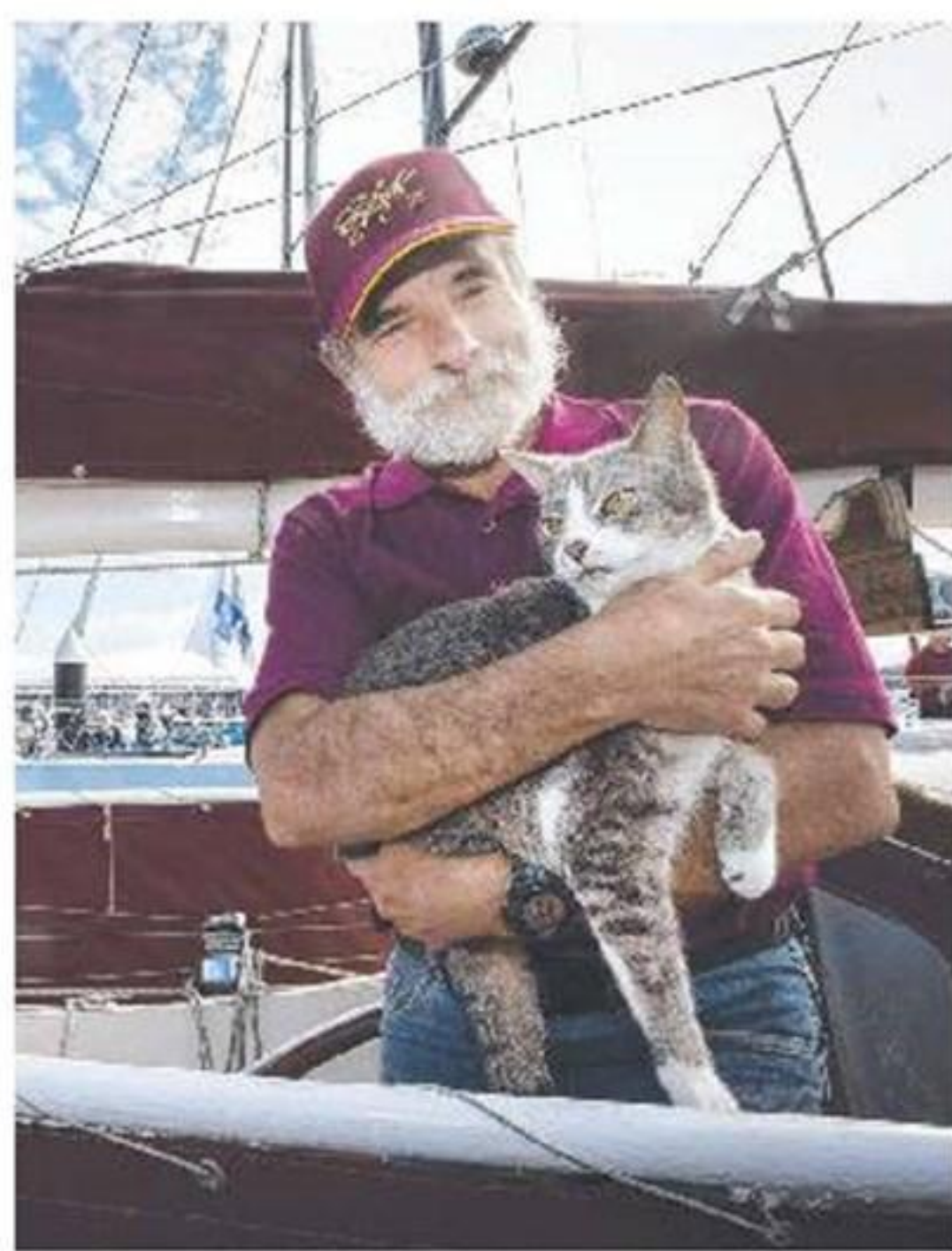
It's why there's a quiet optimism they can go all the way.

"I genuinely believe we have the squad to win the Asian Cup," Goodwin said.

"It's going to be hard and difficult but we have a good group with a good mentality. We have the potential to do something special here."

Australia opens its campaign against India next Saturday.

Cult hero Oli is feline fine



Sylph VI skipper Bob Williams, with shipmate Oli the cat, after their slow passage from Sydney to Hobart. Picture: Chris Kidd

Sylph VI sets unenviable slow record

Amanda Lulham

The two-hander Sylph VI – with Oli the cat aboard – was the 85th and last boat to finish the 2023 Sydney to Hobart to a hero's welcome while several big names have confirmed they will miss the 2024 edition.

Emotional skipper Bob Williams, crewmate Chris Warren and feline Oli arrived in Hobart at 8.26am on Wednesday with a record for the boat – its slowest ever trip in the Australian bluewater classic.

The agonisingly slow journey saw them arrive seven days, 19 hours, 26 minutes and 15 seconds after Sylph started the race at 1pm on Boxing Day.

Sylph's previous slowest Sydney to Hobart race was set in 1962 when she took seven days, 17 hours, 13 minutes and two seconds.

But there was one good bit of news for the team on the race tailender – they just managed

to avoid finishing last in the PHS handicap race.

Sylph VI's slow progress saw her finish second last in the PHS handicap division, won by Will Vicars' Orotan Drumfire, with David Hows' Silver Fern earning the dubious honour of finishing last in this division.

"I think it's quite amazing the way people have taken to Oli," said Williams, a retired naval officer who had hoped to enjoy dockside celebrations in Hobart on New Year's Eve but still received a hearty champagne welcome.

"He's just a part of my crew, wherever I sail."

Sylph VI's trip was five days slower than Christian Beck's LawConnect, which pipped Andoo Comanche by 51 seconds in the closest finish in decades for the line honours on December 28 at 8.03am.

However it was well outside the record of the slowest ever race time set in 1945 and owned

by Wayfarer, which took 11 days, six hours and 20 minutes to make it to Hobart.

Andoo Comanche, one of the most winning line honours yachts in the Sydney to Hobart under different owners and names, will not be returning in the foreseeable future.

The yacht is heading to Singapore and potentially then Europe for campaigning under her owner, who leased the supermaxi to John Winning Jr for two seasons.

Also missing will be Scallywag, one of the favourites for the 2023 race, which broke its bowsprit during the opening night of the race.

She is heading to Barcelona to begin a new era of European campaigning with events such as the Middle Sea race on her agenda.

Whether former multiple line honours winner Wild Oats returns to the iconic race is still in the wind.

YESTERDAY'S TAB RESULTS & SCOREBOARD

RACES

Kembla Grange

Track: HEAVY (9)

1-PFD FOOD SERVICES MDN 1600m: 4.40 fav QUINCY DEEL (b g 3y Danedee (NZ) - Marquardt (NZ)). Trainer: D Lane. 58.0 carr 56 (Anna Roper) 1, 51.00 ALL ABOVE 59 (f m 3y (Wells) 2, 10.00 OAKFIELD ZENA 57 (f m 3y (Schiller) 3. Then followed: 2.00 Margaret's Missile 9.50 Yachtie 8.50 Pasha 4.80 Cohesive 21.00 Rocket Duta 4.80 Zoukkeeper 26.00 Hillbilly Pickin' Scr: Santos B Halper. LH, NS. Time: 1:39.84. (Last 600m 0:37.28).

2-CANADIAN CLUB PLATE (C1) 2000m: 7.00 PRINCE OF AREDELLE (b g 3y Danedee (NZ) - Princess Anna). Trainer: P & P Snowden. 55 (Tommy Berry) 1, 4.80 MYSTIC DVA 55.0 carr 52 (Molly Bourke) 2, 1.85 fav WHATADIDEMMA 59 (f m 3y (Schiller) 3. Then followed: 4.20 Denarac Scr: Silent Russian, Bachman, Alpine Kinsey, Blind Date, Dark Lever, Electric Tiger, Tashtina, Sir Maurice. 1-1/2 len, 1 len. Time: 2:07.70. (Last 600m 0:36.78).

3-PERONI SUPER MDN PLATE 1400m: 1.75 fav RESTONICA (b c 3y Exced And Exced - Ghisoni). Trainer: James Cummings. 57.5 (Tommy Berry) 1, 11.00 LA FRECCIA 55.5 (Tyler Schiller) 2, 16.00 NOBLE TESS 55.5 (Tom Scher) 3. Then followed: 21.00 Tom Cruising 3.50 Late Night Talking 10.00 Nimono 31.00 Sasso 10.00 Holodortopasser Scr: Ghazani, Spanish Fox, Spreyatt, Thaledsaka. 1-1/4 len, 1-1/2 len. Time: 1:25.60. (Last 600m 0:35.81).

4-CARLTON DRAUGHT MDN HCP 1200m: 1.55 fav ZARAGOZA (b g 4y Street Boss (USA) - Jerezana). Trainer: James Cummings. 59.5 (Zac Lloyd) 1, 8.00 HELIX ITCH 58.5 (K S Latham) 2, 9.00 REBEL PRINCE 55.5 (M S Freeman) 3. Then followed: 11.00 Mr Showman 61.00 Skilling 7.50 December Sky 41.00 Played An Ace 10.00 Progress Lass 16.00 Presilly Scr: Serton, Elaz, Proceed, Lohanova, Octogram, Decisively, Elizabethan, Gigi Fille. 1-1/2 len, HH. Time: 1:12.85. (Last 600m 0:35.51).

5-ELITE SAND & SOIL MIDWAY HCP (C1) 1200m: 1.40 fav KATSUMOTO (b g 4y Unusual Suspect (USA) - Yo Yo (NZ)). Trainer: Michael Freeman. 58.5 (Tommy Berry) 1, 9.00 NARRATIVE 56 (Zac Lloyd) 2, 19.00 DIRECT FIRE 55 (M K Widdow) 3. Then followed: 20.00 River Frost 8.00 Off Da Hizzle 11.00 Cani Cannon 18.00 The Gift Scr: King Of Dubai, Mz Kanata, Diamond Lucy, Go Ida Go, Not That Easy. 1/2 len, 1-3/4 len. Time: 1:11.77. (Last 600m 0:35.15).

6-MW SHEETMETAL 20 YEARS (BM64) 1400m: 3.50 ZARROSO (b/f f 3y Exosphere - Rowaya (NZ)). Trainer: P & P Snowden. 57.5 (Tommy Berry) 1, 2.70 fav SUE'S UNUSUAL 58 (Tyler Schiller) 2, 11.00 UNDISCOVERED MUSIC 56.5 (D Downey) 3. Then followed: 5.50 Rapid Outlaw 10.00 Nitro 16.00 Long Memory 9.00 The Antefact Scr: Bubba, Dubai Empress, Takano, Standstock Barbie. 1/2 len, 2-1/2 len. Time: 1:25.22. (Last 600m 0:36.34).

7-EVERGREEN TURF AUSTRALIA (BM64) 1400m: 3.70 GELATIN (b c 3y Snelzet - Jellies). Trainer: Michael Freeman. 59.5 (R Hedges) 1, 9.50 LOUIS LEGACY 59.0 carr 56 (Juke Barrett) 2, 11.00 NOBLE ATTACK 57.5 (K S Latham) 3. Then followed: 9.50 Reggie's Folly 19.00 By Nine 3.10 fav Tipikina 6.50 Lysander 11.00 Donnan Star 9.10 Westgrove Scr: Moorstown, The Himalayas, Zecari, Apollo Mission, Vegas Dream. LH, HD. Time: 1:25.68. (Last 600m 0:36.00).

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RACE 1: 4.18. Win \$4.70 place \$1.50 \$10.70 \$2.60. Q: \$143.70. E: \$199.40. Duets: 4-1: \$30.20, 4-8: \$7.00, 1-8: \$26.30. T: \$159.40. First 4: 4-1-8-3: \$8,033.90. Sub: 2. Scr: 5.

RACE 2: 1.10.2. Win \$6.20 place \$1.50 \$10.70 \$2.60. Q: \$9.70. E: \$34.40. T: \$50.00. D: \$33.30. First 4: 11-10-2-3: \$61.70. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,4,5,6,7,8,9,12.

RACE 3: 2.9.11. Win \$1.80 place \$1.20 \$2.10 \$2.40. Q: \$7.60. E: \$12.10. Duets: 2-9: \$3.00, 2-11: \$3.70, 9-11: \$8.90. T: \$51.50. D: \$15.30. First 4: 2-9-11-4: \$382.40. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,3,6,12.

RACE 4: 2.3.11. Win \$1.40 place \$1.10 \$1.80 \$2.00. Q: \$4.40. E: \$3.70. Duets: 2-3: \$2.20, 2-11: \$2.90, 3-11: \$7.20. T: \$27.90. D: \$2.70. First 4: 2-3-11-13: \$98.30. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,5,6,7,8,9,12.

RACE 5: 2.4.9. Win \$1.40 place \$1.30 \$3.20 \$2.00. Q: \$5.40. E: \$4.50. T: \$41.30. D: \$2.50. First 4: 2-4-9-6: \$214.90. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,3,5,7,10.

RACE 6: 5.3.10. Win \$3.60 place \$2.00 \$1.50 \$2.00. Q: \$3.80. E: \$3.90. T: \$54.80. D: \$7.40. First 4: 5-3-10-7: \$140.30. Sub: 3. Scr: 4,6,8,11.

RACE 7: 3.4.9. Win \$3.90 place \$1.50 \$2.50 \$2.80. Q: \$15.80. E: \$35.40. Duets: 3-4: \$5.90, 3-9: \$7.00, 4-9: \$12.70. T: \$189.20. D: \$11.60. First 4: 3-4-9-7: \$966.90. Sub: 1. Scr: 2,0,7,10,12,13,14.

NSW TAB DOUBLE on races 5 and 7: \$140.30. Q: \$15.80. E: \$35.40. Duets: 3-4: \$5.90, 3-9: \$7.00, 4-9: \$12.70. T: \$189.20. D: \$11.60. First 4: 3-4-9-7: \$966.90. Sub: 1. Scr: 2,0,7,10,12,13,14.

NSW TAB EARLY QUADDIE on races 1,2,3,4: \$11.60. First 4: 1-10-2-3: \$61.70. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,4,5,6,7,8,9,12.

NSW TAB QUADDIE on races 4,5,6,7: \$2.70. First 4: 2-9-11-4: \$382.40. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,3,6,12.

NSW TAB BIG6 on races 2,3,4,5,6,7: \$11.60. First 4: 2-9-11-4: \$382.40. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,3,6,12.

NSW TAB DOUBLE on races 5 and 7: \$140.30. Q: \$15.80. E: \$35.40. Duets: 3-4: \$5.90, 3-9: \$7.00, 4-9: \$12.70. T: \$189.20. D: \$11.60. First 4: 3-4-9-7: \$966.90. Sub: 1. Scr: 2,0,7,10,12,13,14.

RACE 8: 1.10.2. Win \$6.20 place \$1.50 \$10.70 \$2.60. Q: \$9.70. E: \$34.40. T: \$50.00. D: \$33.30. First 4: 11-10-2-3: \$61.70. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,4,5,6,7,8,9,12.

RACE 9: 2.9.11. Win \$1.80 place \$1.20 \$2.10 \$2.40. Q: \$7.60. E: \$12.10. Duets: 2-9: \$3.00, 2-11: \$3.70, 9-11: \$8.90. T: \$51.50. D: \$15.30. First 4: 2-9-11-4: \$382.40. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,3,6,12.

RACE 10: 2.3.11. Win \$1.40 place \$1.10 \$1.80 \$2.00. Q: \$4.40. E: \$3.70. Duets: 2-3: \$2.20, 2-11: \$2.90, 3-11: \$7.20. T: \$27.90. D: \$2.70. First 4: 2-3-11-13: \$98.30. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,5,6,7,8,9,12.

RACE 11: 2.4.9. Win \$1.40 place \$1.30 \$3.20 \$2.00. Q: \$5.40. E: \$4.50. T: \$41.30. D: \$2.50. First 4: 2-4-9-6: \$214.90. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,3,5,7,10.

RACE 12: 5.3.10. Win \$3.60 place \$2.00 \$1.50 \$2.00. Q: \$3.80. E: \$3.90. T: \$54.80. D: \$7.40. First 4: 5-3-10-7: \$140.30. Sub: 3. Scr: 4,6,8,11.

NSW TAB DOUBLE on races 6 and 8: \$140.30. Q: \$15.80. E: \$35.40. Duets: 3-4: \$5.90, 3-9: \$7.00, 4-9: \$12.70. T: \$189.20. D: \$11.60. First 4: 3-4-9-7: \$966.90. Sub: 1. Scr: 2,0,7,10,12,13,14.

NSW TAB EARLY QUADDIE on races 1,2,3,4: \$11.60. First 4: 1-10-2-3: \$61.70. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,4,5,6,7,8,9,12.

NSW TAB QUADDIE on races 5,6,7,8: \$2.70. First 4: 2-9-11-4: \$382.40. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,3,6,12.

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RACE 1: 4.2.7. Win \$9.50 place \$3.90 \$2.30 \$2.30. Q: \$11.40. E: \$31.90. T: \$138.30. First 4: 4-2-7-5: \$457.10. Sub: 7. Scr: 6.

RACE 2: 2.5.1. Win \$1.40 place \$1.20 \$1.40 \$1.90. Q: \$6.80. E: \$7.60. T: \$39.90. D: \$2.10. First 4: 2-5-1-4: \$115.40. Sub: 2. Scr: 6,7.

RACE 3: 7.1.3. Win \$2.00 place \$1.10 \$1.50 \$4.10. Q: \$2.70. E: \$4.80. Duets: 7-1: \$1.50, 7-3: \$6.90, 1-3: \$8.60. T: \$48.10. D: \$4.00. First 4: 7-1-3-8: \$388.80. Sub: NSR. All Started.

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RACE 1: 4.5.6. Win \$2.50 place \$1.60 \$1.50 \$1.50. Q: \$2.90. E: \$8.20. Duets: 4-5: \$2.40, 4-6: \$2.70, 5-6: \$3.00. T: \$10.60. First 4: 4-5-6-2: \$60.50. Sub: 4. Scr: 9,10.

RACE 2: 6.3.1. Win \$1.20 place \$1.10 \$1.20 \$3.20. Q: \$5.00. E: \$12.10. Duets: 6-3: \$2.60, 6-1: \$6.30, 3-1: \$6.90. T: \$48.80. D: \$16.00. First 4: 6-3-1-9: \$770.70. Sub: 6. Scr: 2.

RACE 3: 3.4.1. Win \$1.60 place \$1.20 \$2.10 \$2.10. Q: \$4.10. E: \$10.00. T: \$26.00. D: \$2.00. First 4: 3-4-1-2: \$94.50. Sub: 3. Scr: 8,9,7,6.

RACE 4: 6.7.1. Win \$3.90 place \$1.80 \$6.30 \$10.70. Q: \$10.70. E: \$106.20. T: \$354.30. D: \$4.00. First 4: 6-7-1-8: \$1,671.50. Sub: 1. Scr: 3,9.

RACE 5: 8.2.7. Win \$15.00 place \$1.90 \$1.70 \$1.70. Q: \$24.10. E: \$82.20. Duets: 8-2: \$6.10, 8-7: \$4.50, 2-7: \$2.90. T: \$265.70. D: \$2.00. First 4: 8-2-7-6: \$1,255.00. Sub: 6. Scr: 5,9.

RACE 6: 2.1.6. Win \$2.40 place \$1.20 \$1.10 \$1.80. Q: \$2.10. E: \$4.50. Duets: 2-1: \$1.60, 2-6: \$5.30, 1-6: \$4.50. T: \$19.80. D: \$5.80. First 4: 2-1-6-5: \$76.80. Sub: 1. Scr: 9,10.

RACE 7: 2.1.8. Win \$3.00 place \$1.90 \$2.10 \$2.10. Q: \$3.60. E: \$16.60. Duets: 2-1: \$6.80, 2-8: \$7.30, 1-8: \$19.00. T: \$112.70. D: \$2.00. First 4: 2-1-8-7: \$396.60. Sub: 6. Scr: 9.

RACE 8: 8.1.5. Win \$3.40 place \$1.60 \$1.90 \$1.90. Q: \$6.80. E: \$10.60. T: \$53.50. D: \$2.00. First 4: 8-1-5-6: \$113.50. Sub: 8. Scr: 3,9.

RACE 9: 1.8.7. Win \$4.30 place \$2.80 \$2.60 \$2.60. Q: \$6.40. E: \$32.10. T: \$46.10. D: \$2.00. First 4: 1-8-7-6: \$346.90. Sub: 7. Scr: 3,9.

RACE 10: 1.8.4. Win \$2.40 place \$1.60 \$1.90 \$1.90. Q: \$3.60. E: \$6.80. T: \$11.60. D: \$2.00. First 4: 1-8-4-6: \$27.80. Sub: 1. Scr: 3,9.

NSW TAB DOUBLE on races 6 and 8: \$140.30. Q: \$15.80. E: \$35.40. Duets: 3-4: \$5.90, 3-9: \$7.00, 4-9: \$12.70. T: \$189.20. D: \$11.60. First 4: 3-4-9-7: \$966.90. Sub: 1. Scr: 2,0,7,10,12,13,14.

NSW TAB EARLY QUADDIE on races 1,2,3,4: \$11.60. First 4: 1-10-2-3: \$61.70. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,4,5,6,7,8,9,12.

NSW TAB QUADDIE on races 5,6,7,8: \$2.70. First 4: 2-9-11-4: \$382.40. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,3,6,12.

Temora

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RACE 1: 8.4.1. Win \$2.50 place \$1.70 \$2.80 \$2.80. Q: \$6.80. E: \$11.50. T: \$46.30. First 4: 8-4-1-3: \$228.70. Sub: 8. Scr: 5.

RACE 2: 6.4.3. Win \$6.90 place \$3.10 \$1.60 \$1.60. Q: \$5.80. E: \$14.70. T: \$54.00. D: \$2.00. First 4: 6-4-3-1: \$246.00. Sub: 4. Scr: 5.

RACE 3: 8.1.4. Win \$1.30 place \$1.04 \$4.70 \$4.70. Q: \$6.20. E: \$7.60. T: \$39.90. D: \$2.10. First 4: 8-1-4-6: \$143.30. Sub: 8. Scr: 2,3,5.

RACE 4: 1.5.8. Win \$1.80 place \$1.10 \$1.70 \$1.70. Q: \$5.00. E: \$8.40. Duets: 1-5: \$2.20, 1-8: \$3.30, 5-8: \$6.10. T: \$36.70. D: \$2.00. First 4: 1-5-8-6: \$302.30. Sub: NSR. All Started.

RACE 5: 4.8.2. Win \$2.90 place \$1.20 \$4.60 \$4.60. Q: \$11.40. E: \$19.20. T: \$34.00. D: \$2.00. First 4: 4-8-2-7: \$452.20. Sub: 4. Scr: 3,5,6.

RACE 6: 4.2.6. Win \$1.30 place \$2.50 \$1.60 \$1.60. Q: \$2.90. E: \$8.20. Duets: 4-2: \$5.90, 4-6: \$9.60, 2-6: \$8.00. T: \$343.90. D: \$2.00. First 4: 4-2-6-3: \$1,345.20. Sub: NSR. All Started.

RACE 7: 3.1.8. Win \$4.80 place \$1.60 \$2.90 \$2.90. Q: \$10.30. E: \$24.90. T: \$60.30. D: \$39.90. First 4: 3-1-8-2: \$139.60. Sub: 2. Scr: 4.

RACE 8: 6.7.2. Win \$5.20 place \$2.20 \$1.80 \$1.80. Q: \$12.10. E: \$24.10. Duets: 6-7: \$5.50, 6-2: \$20.50, 7-2: \$20.20. T: \$214.70. D: \$2.00. First 4: 6-7-2-3: \$2,387.60. Sub: NSR. All Started.

RACE 9: 5.1.2. Win \$3.60 place \$1.50 \$1.50 \$1.50. Q: \$12.10. E: \$17.30. Duets: 5-1: \$5.00, 5-2: \$5.30, 1-2: \$5.60. T: \$113.30. D: \$2.00. First 4: 5-1-2-7: \$147.60. Sub: 7. Scr: 8,10.

RACE 10: 4.8.3. Win \$1.80 place \$1.30 \$2.80 \$4.30. Q: \$8.80. E: \$12.30. Duets: 4-8: \$3.10, 4-3: \$4.60, 8-3: \$17.20. T: \$72.00. D: \$7.10. First 4: 4-8-3-7: \$238.10. Sub: 4. Scr: 6,10.

NSW TAB DOUBLE on races 6 and 8: \$140.30. Q: \$15.80. E: \$35.40. Duets: 3-4: \$5.90, 3-9: \$7.00, 4-9: \$12.70. T: \$189.20. D: \$11.60. First 4: 3-4-9-7: \$966.90. Sub: 1. Scr: 2,0,7,10,12,13,14.

NSW TAB EARLY QUADDIE on races 1,2,3,4: \$11.60. First 4: 1-10-2-3: \$61.70. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,4,5,6,7,8,9,12.

NSW TAB QUADDIE on races 5,6,7,8: \$2.70. First 4: 2-9-11-4: \$382.40. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,3,6,12.

NSW TAB DOUBLE on races 6 and 8: \$140.30. Q: \$15.80. E: \$35.40. Duets: 3-4: \$5.90, 3-9: \$7.00, 4-9: \$12.70. T: \$189.20. D: \$11.60. First 4: 3-4-9-7: \$966.90. Sub: 1. Scr: 2,0,7,10,12,13,14.

NSW TAB EARLY QUADDIE on races 1,2,3,4: \$11.60. First 4: 1-10-2-3: \$61.70. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,4,5,6,7,8,9,12.

NSW TAB QUADDIE on races 5,6,7,8: \$2.70. First 4: 2-9-11-4: \$382.40. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,3,6,12.

NSW TAB DOUBLE on races 6 and 8: \$140.30. Q: \$15.80. E: \$35.40. Duets: 3-4: \$5.90, 3-9: \$7.00, 4-9: \$12.70. T: \$189.20. D: \$11.60. First 4: 3-4-9-7: \$966.90. Sub: 1. Scr: 2,0,7,10,12,13,14.

NSW TAB EARLY QUADDIE on races 1,2,3,4: \$11.60. First 4: 1-10-2-3: \$61.70. Sub: 2. Scr: 1,4,5,6,7,8,9,12.

NSW TAB QUADDIE on races 5,6,7,8: \$2.70. First 4: 2-9-11-

Where's Wally helps Nichols across the board to...

STAND OUT IN A CROWD

Jamie Pandaram



Where's Wally and weight gain aren't your typical key ingredients for athletic excellence but surfing star Isabella Nichols believes they are exactly what will take her to the next level.

The 25-year-old Queenslander, with the help of sports psychologists, is incorporating unique methods into her training as she prepares for the 2024 season.

"I've been doing a lot of pressure drills because I've found that my weakness is making decisions under duress, stress and pressure," Nichols said.

"Especially in the heat, as time ticks on, I just have to make a decision, not even the right decision, just a decision."

"I've been putting myself in those situations more often where I have made the stakes a lot harder and a lot higher, adding challenges along the way, so if I do make a decision there are consequences."

So Nichols, who won the 2022 Margaret River Pro in the WSL series, has turned to the world's favourite hidden red-

and-white-striped figure.

"We've done some Where's Wally things or some Scrabble games where you have to think on your feet really quickly, and then run back out and continue the heat," she said.

"We'll have a 15-minute heat and the consequence would be if you take off on a wave you will have to come and do a physically or mentally draining activity so it gives you the stimulus that, 'If I make a decision there are consequences'."

"Even if it's a good decision, you still have to come in and run around a pole."

"Those are things we've been doing to drill down that you do need to make a decision, and there are consequences and rewards for every action."

"But being decisive in any way, shape or form is better than being indecisive."

"They are 15 minute heats, so with the Where's Wally test you really have to calm your mind down and find out where he is, and it makes it a lot harder if you're thinking about getting your next wave."

"You have to learn how to focus on your breath and slow it down. Same with the Scrabble, the longer you spend on those tasks, the less time you get in the water, so it's regulating. I'm doing that through Surfing Australia. They have a couple of sports psychs there who have been helping me, to put myself in those situations more often."

"A lot of the time I fail, there are times I get it. Hopefully the more I do, the better I'll get at it. Even learning how to make a decision in general life, like what I want for dinner, what I



Surfing Star Isabella Nichols has transformed her body in the gym and is using Where's Wally to improve her thinking under pressure as she chases more success to go with her win at the Margaret River Pro (below left) in 2022. Pictures: Picture: Justin Lloyd, Nigel Hallett, Matt Dunbar/World Surf League

want to do that day, all correlate to being a better performer in the water."

"It gives me the ability to make a decision quickly and confidently."

Nichols finished 15th overall in the women's series last year, having made the second round in the first three events, placing third at Bells Beach and then bombing at Margaret River to be knocked out in the first round and cut mid-year.

"If I can make the mental improvements, I'll give myself a lot better chance to not have to go back to the Challenger Series," Nichols said. "Even having tough conversations rather than avoiding them like

painted a picture of thin surf girls in bikinis. Only recently, that's been knocked down by people. I know this but it's hard mentally to watch your body change even though you know it's for the better."

"Society is changing and we are realising that athletic women have different body shapes, and will have different body shapes if you want to do well, and that is my goal."

"It's breaking those gender stereotypes that we've been so ingrained to listen to from a young age but it is changing."

"I was 57kg a few years ago, I was a bloody stick insect. I look back at photos and think, 'How did I not snap?'"

"Now I'm 66kg to 67kg and feeling really strong and fit, and it's just that adaptation period that a lot of females go through, but I'm stoked."

"I don't want any young females getting into surfing thinking they need to be stick thin. I don't think there are any females on tour now that are uber thin."

"You need a different body type, with the change in wave profiles going to Pipe and Sunset and Bells and Margs."

"It's like a big-wave tour now so you actually need a bit of meat on your bones. You wouldn't throw any spray or look powerful, which is what the judges want."

Nichols is determined to bounce back into the top 10.

"The last few years have been very different, making the cut last year and then having to do the

Challenger Series this year," she said. "It's been a lot of adjusting but I feel like it's taught me a lot about myself and what I need to do to improve. That's where I spent a lot of the past six months, looking at how I can get better."

"Whereas maybe if I had not have that happen to me I wouldn't have looked so closely at the flaws I have and how I can improve."

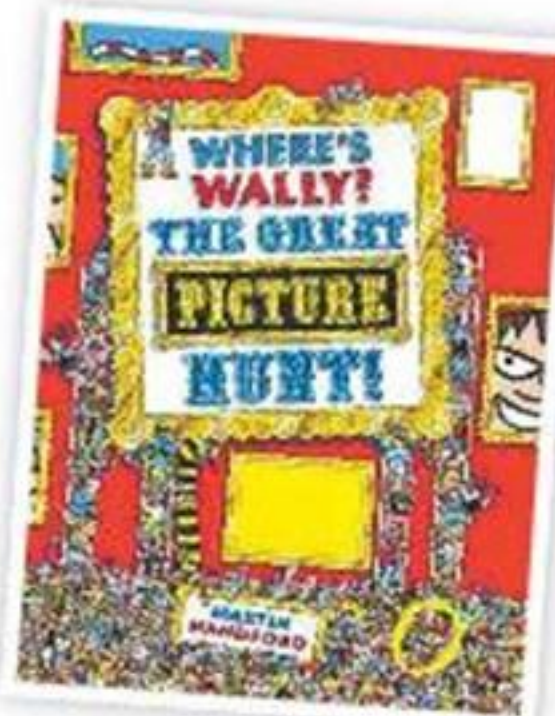
"So it's been good but it's been a very tough challenge confronting all those things I need to get better at and working towards doing it, and failing a lot of the time at it."

"It's been rewarding and I love it. I have the best job in the world, we get to travel the world and go surfing."

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I previously did, that can lead to being more decisive in the water. I still have a long way to go but I still have time."

"I go to Hawaii on January

6, the competition doesn't start until the 29th, so I have time to work on things."

One of the key changes she has made over the years is her physique. She has used a training routine of weightlifting, pilates, cardio and breath work to gain weight.

"My body is changing," Nichols said. "It's a bit daunting at times because I used to have a really quick metabolism. Now, it's always what I've wanted - to get bigger and stronger - but it's daunting. I'm really happy with how responsive my body has been. But not just the surf industry, every industry, has

Snoop back in rings for special Paris gig

Acclaimed rapper Snoop Dogg will be a special reporter for US broadcaster NBC at the Paris Olympics this year.

The network has announced he will reprise his star turn at the Tokyo Games that delighted viewers.

"I grew up watching the Olympics and am thrilled to see the incredible athletes bring their A-game to Paris," Snoop Dogg said in a statement. "It's a celebration of



Snoop Dogg will be a special reporter in Paris.

skill, dedication and the pursuit of greatness."

"We're going to have some amazing competitions and I will be bringing that Snoop style to the mix. It's going to be

the most epic Olympics ever, so stay tuned, and keep it locked."

"Let's elevate, celebrate, and make these games unforgettable, smoke the competition, and may the best shine like gold. Peace and Olympic love, ya dig?"

NBC vice-president of Olympic production, Molly Solomon, said Snoop's commentating on dressage at the Tokyo Olympics in 2021

had gone viral and "earned Snoop a job as our special correspondent in Paris".

"We don't know what the heck is going to happen every day but we know he will add his unique perspective to our re-imagined Olympic prime-time show," she said.

Snoop Dogg made his debut as an Olympic consultant at the Tokyo Games with observations that became viral sensations.

Teen in world darts final

Teenage darts sensation Luke Littler has brushed aside eighth seed Rob Cross to advance into the final of the world championship.

Littler started nervously and lost the first set to Cross, the 2018 world champion, before stringing together three consecutive legs on his way to a staggering 6-2 victory.

The teenager averaged 106.05 across the contest

and nailed 16 180s to Cross' average of 102.77 and just 10 180s.

Immediately after Littler hit double 10 to seal the contest, Sky Sports commentator Wayne Mardle was left flabbergasted.

"He's got the darting world at his feet," Mardle said.

Littler will meet Scott Williams or world No.3 Luke Humphries in the world championships final.

Maxwell leaves Tom star struck

Tyler Lewis

Melbourne Stars batter Tom Rogers is in awe of Glenn Maxwell and doesn't think the experience of batting with the white-ball great will sink in.

Maxwell took 1-8 off his three overs then finished on 32 not out in the Melbourne Derby on Tuesday.

Rogers, who steered his side to a fourth consecutive win with a match-high 42 not out, said he found batting with Maxwell "pretty ridiculous".

"I think I will never get used to being at the other end to Glenn Maxwell," he said.

"The things he can do; I can't do them, a lot of other people can't do them. He's just the sort of person who can do them."

"In his 100th game, player of the match, bowled beautifully, caught beautifully, batted beautifully, captained beautifully. He's box office."

"(I am) super pumped to be on his team and get to watch that from the other end batting with him."

Rogers also said Maxwell had an emotionally soothing layer to his game.

"He's very calming out there," he said.

"I have had a couple of starts this year and got out and been a bit all over the place mentally at times with my batting."

"For him to be out there calming me down and helping me through it, because he's done it so many times before, is pretty nice."

"You never really feel like you're going to lose when he's batting."

BBL FIXTURES

PLAYED LAST NIGHT
Scorchers v Strikers

TONIGHT

Renegades v Hurricanes
Marvel Stadium, 7.15pm

FRIDAY

Strikers v Scorchers
Adelaide Oval, 7.15pm

SATURDAY

Stars v Sixers
MCG, 7.15pm

SUNDAY

Heat v Hurricanes
Gabba, 7.15pm

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LITCHFIELD 'HONOURED' AT LANNING COMPARISON

Fabulous Phoebe

Young gun Aussie Phoebe Litchfield during her 119 in the third ODI against India and (inset) with the player-of-the-series trophy. Pictures: Getty Images



Ed Bourke

Phoebe Litchfield says it's a "huge honour" to be compared to batting great Meg Lanning after her commanding century fired Australia to a 190-run win over India in the third ODI.

Australia secured a series whitewash in Mumbai after the 20-year-old combined with captain Alyssa Healy for a 189-run opening stand to set up a score of 7-338, with India bundled out for 148 in reply.

Litchfield survived more than 30 minutes stranded in the 90s – as Australia suffered a collapse of 4-27 – to bring up her second ODI century and put the innings back on track with Ash Gardner (30 off 27).

Her 119 came off 125 balls and included 16 fours and a six.

The left-hander's 260 runs at 86.66 had her crowned player of the series as she also became the youngest Australian to pass 50 sixes in ODIs, achieving the feat 58 days ahead of a 20-year-old Meg Lanning.

Litchfield said it was a "cool feeling" to earn comparisons to Lanning and Belinda Clark after so quickly becoming one of Australia's best players.

"I looked up to Meg, and recently had Belinda Clark work with our Thunder group, so to be mentioned with those names is a huge honour," she said. "But I'm trying to take it each day at a time and not think too much into it and just keep scoring runs."

She said her prolonged time in the 90s was "stressful" but held her nerve after losing a procession of teammates in Healy, Ellyse Perry, Beth Mooney and Tahlia McGrath as India fought back with the ball.

"With the wickets falling around me, it was a bit stressful, but I just stayed really calm. I probably scored each run in singles, just wanting to get there and make the most of that big partnership," she said.

For the second time in two games, Litchfield launched herself at a chance in the covers and claimed a catch horizontal to the ground while diving courageously onto an unused pitch at Wankhede

THIRD ODI MUMBAI	
AUSTRALIA	
LITCHFIELD c Kaur b Sharma	119 (125)
HEALY b Vastrakar	82 (85)
PERRY lbw b Kaur	16 (9)
MOONEY lbw b Patil	3 (10)
MCGRATH lbw b Patil	0 (1)
GARDNER b Patil	30 (27)
SUTHERLAND c Kaur b Kaur	23 (21)
WAREHAM not out	11 (8)
KING not out	26 (14)
EXTRAS: 8lb, 20w	28
SEVEN WICKETS FOR	338
FALL: 189, 209, 216, 216, 256, 295, 299	
BOWLING: Singh 7-0-52-0, Vastrakar 10-0-68-1, Patil 10-0-57-3, Kashyap 3-0-30-0, Sharma 10-0-53-1, Kaur 10-0-70-2	
OVERS: 50	
INDIA	
BHATIA b Schutt	6 (14)
MANDHANA c Garth b Schutt	29 (29)
GHOSH b Wareham	19 (29)
KAUR c Mooney b Wareham	3 (10)
RODRIGUES c King b Gardner	25 (27)
SHARMA not out	25 (39)
KAUR c Litchfield b King	3 (8)
VASTRAKAR b King	14 (14)
PATIL c McGrath b Sutherland	2 (10)
SINGH c Healy b Sutherland	0 (1)
KASHYAP c Mooney b Wareham	8 (15)
EXTRAS: 1lb, 13w	14
TOTAL	148
FALL: 32, 43, 57, 72, 98, 102, 128, 135, 148	
BOWLING: Schutt 6-1-23-2, Garth 5-0-33-0, Wareham 6-4-0-23-3, Gardner 7-0-38-1, King 5-0-21-2, Sutherland 3-0-9-2	
OVERS: 32.4	
AUSTRALIA WON BY 190 RUNS	
AUSTRALIA WON ODI SERIES 3-0	

Stadium to remove Amanjot Kaur and leave India 6-102.

"I think the one today was probably more of a reflex catch ... probably in the context of the game, last game was up there, but in terms of training, it's hard to train that," she said.

Australia was at its most clinical with the ball for the series as Megan Schutt removed both Indian openers in her first spell before Georgia Wareham (3-23) and Alana King (2-21) combined to tear through the middle order.

The match marked a return to form for Healy, who posted her first score over 50 in the format since her devastating 170 in the 2022 World Cup final in New Zealand.

Rookies in Teague of their own

Ed Bourke

Promising Sheffield Shield batters Jack Clayton and Teague Wyllie will have a chance to impress Australian selectors in a three-day tour game against the West Indies next week.

Peter Handscomb, who does not have a BBL contract this season, will lead a Cricket Australia XI at Adelaide's Karen Rolton Oval from January 12 as the raw West Indies side pre-

pares for the two-Test series in Adelaide and Brisbane.

Cricket Australia moved to avoid a repeat of the PM's XI controversy, picking a team from outside the Big Bash.

Clayton, one of Queensland's top Shield performers this season, and WA young gun Wyllie are the two hottest batting prospects named in a 12-man squad that also includes Warriors opener Jayden Goodwin and Tasmania's Tim

Ward and Jake Doran. Clayton posted a century and three 50s in the first half of the red-ball season, while Wyllie last summer became the youngest batter since Ricky Ponting to score a Shield ton.

Victorian left-armers Doug Warren, who has played two first-class games, is the only spinner in the side, while WA left-arm quick Liam Haskett and NSW seamer Jack Nisbet are also Shield debutants.

CA XI SQUAD V WEST INDIES

Adelaide, January 12-14
Peter Handscomb (Vic, c); Jack Clayton (Qld); Harry Conway (SA); Jake Doran (Tas); Jayden Goodwin (WA); Liam Haskett (WA); Bradley Hope (Tas); Jack Nisbet (NSW); Liam Scott (SA); Tim Ward (Tas); Doug Warren (Vic); Teague Wyllie (WA).

Head coach: Adam Griffith

Heat weathers storm

Martin Gabor

Wet weather has continued to plague the BBL, with a couple of untimely downpours helping the Brisbane Heat finish three runs ahead of the par score to beat Sydney Sixers.

The Sixers, though, will be frustrated they had to go back on when they were ahead.

Heat was 4-80 after 12 overs and two runs behind the

par score chasing Sydney's 8-141 when heavy rain forced both teams from the field.

The deluge quickly passed and umpires were keen to get playback underway as soon as possible.

Three overs were lost, which left the visitors needing a further 45 runs off 30 deliveries. Not-out batsmen Nathan McSweeney (22) and Paul Walter (23) proved vital.

It'll be a match I won't forget

Callum Dick

Jason Kubler was fighting a fierce first-round battle against Aslan Karatsev on show court one when the roar came from inside Pat Rafter Arena.

He and Karatsev were forced to briefly pause their second set as the crowd next door erupted with delight, signalling Rafael Nadal's victory over Dominic Thiem.

Both men immediately knew what it meant. The winner would be facing one of the greatest of all time in the next round.

Suddenly the stakes were even higher.

"I think we both definitely knew that Rafa had won and that we were (going to play) Rafa - it was very obvious who won," Kubler said ahead of his Thursday night meeting with the 22-time Grand Slam champion.

"We had to stop play a couple of times because of it, in a couple of big moments in our match because the crowd was cheering for Rafa."

Kubler would go on to lose the second set in a close tie-breaker, however his Russian opponent went down with what looked to be a serious knee injury and was forced to retire from the match.

The stage was then set: Kubler versus Nadal. A Brisbane International second round clash set to divide the tennis



diehards. In Kubler they have the local hope; the Brisbane boy who trained on Pat Rafter Arena for more than a decade.

Then there is Nadal, the two-time Australian Open champion and arguably the most popular player in the sport's history, who could be playing Down Under for the

final time this year. Kubler heard the cheers. The "Rafa Rafa, Oi Oi Oi". He will command serious home-crowd support on Thursday night. But there will undoubtedly be pro-Nadal pockets within Pat Rafter Arena.

"To be honest if they cheer for him or me it's going to be special regardless," Kubler said.

"However the match or the crowd happens to be, the occasion is going to be special to me ... getting to play Rafa on my home court, so regardless of all the other outside stuff just that alone is special."

"I'm 30 now so any sort of

big match against one of the legends of the sport is pretty cool.

"There's definitely going to be some nerves that's for sure, because of how great a player he is, but at the same time I honestly believe I have nothing to lose. I can go out there and lose 6-1 6-1 and not many people are going to bat an eye about it."

"I'm just going to go out and enjoy it. I trained here for 10 years of my life so it's a pretty special moment to play one of the biggest names in our sport on this court."

"Hopefully lots of people can make the occasion even more special. I'm sure it's something I'll remember for the rest of my life."

Spanish legend Rafael Nadal continues his comeback against Australian Jason Kubler (below) at the Brisbane International. Pictures: Getty Images, David Caird



Poland sees off China to close in

Top-ranked Poland overpowered China on Wednesday, with Hubert Hurkacz and Iga Swiatek propelling them into the United Cup semi-finals with a singles sweep.

The pair of straight-sets victories in Perth put the tie out of reach and sent the Poles into a clash against either Norway or France in Sydney.

Adrian Mannarino and Caroline Garcia had earlier pushed France into a last-eight tie against the Norwegians with victory over Italy.

Hurkacz secured a clinical 6-3 6-4 defeat of Zhang Zhizhen before world No.1 Swiatek followed up, winning nine games on the trot at one point to beat Zheng Qinwen 6-2 6-3 despite losing serve twice.

Swiatek was eager to get to Sydney as the first nation to qualify for the semi-finals of the 18-nation mixed team tournament.

"Bondi Beach here we come," she said, after swatting aside Zheng who was the 2023 WTA Most Improved Player.

"I'm looking forward to a day off. I'm really happy with my game, and also how the atmosphere in the team is."

"I really feel like we can just be better when we're together, playing (with Hurkacz) is exciting, and I'm real happy with every match that I play here."

Hurkacz fired 10 aces as he dismissed Chinese No.1 Zhang. "It's always a tough match with him. He can play some amazing shots," the winner said.

Novak Djokovic-led Serbia faced Australia in Perth last night for the chance to join Poland in the last four.

The 24-time grand slam champion needed treatment on a sore wrist during his win over the Czech Republic's Jiri Lehecka on Tuesday and faced our No.1 Alex de Minaur.

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Who won last night's big United Cup clash?
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Osaka looks on bright side despite loss in Brisbane

Callum Dick

Former world No.1 Naomi Osaka will head to Melbourne earlier than expected but confident she can make an impression at the Australian Open this month.

Osaka, 26, marked a triumphant return from a 15-month tennis hiatus this week when she saw off Tamara Korpatsch in the first round of the Brisbane International.

But familiar foe and defending Brisbane champion Karolina Pliskova was too tall a task for the returning Japanese superstar on Wednesday.

In a rematch of the 2020 semi-final, Pliskova came from a set down to win 3-6 7-6 (4) 6-4 on Pat Rafter Arena.

"The week is shorter than I wanted it to be but overall I think it was a great match and I had a lot of fun," Osaka said.

"I saw the stats after and my

break points could have been better but I think other than that we both played really well. So hopefully she says the same thing."

There was no such stumble from No.1 seed and reigning Australian Open champion Aryna Sabalenka, who breezed into the third round with a 6-3 6-0 victory over Italian Lucia Bronzetti.

Alexei Popyrin squandered triple match point and cast

doubt over his Australian Open fitness in a rollercoaster Brisbane International second round thriller against Russian world No. 39 Roman Safiullin.

The world No.40, who converted just one of 14 break points in the heartbreaking 6-7 (9) 6-4 7-6 (3) defeat.

It was a much better day for Aussie wildcard James Duckworth, who continued his stellar start to 2024 with a gritty three-set victory over world

No.51 Yannick Hanfmann that catapulted him inside the top 100. The Sydneysider, who had to fight through two stages of qualifying just to feature in the main draw, dropped the first set before finding form to run out a 4-6 6-17-6 (2) victor.

Meanwhile, Daria Saville's Australian Open wildcard hopes are now out of her hands after the former world No.20 fell 4-6 6-3 4-6 to Anastasia Potapova.



Japan's Naomi Osaka.

INSIDE MAIL

MUSWELLBROOK — Adam Sherry

RACE 1

Zippo Idea settled back on the fence and ran on well for third on debut here in July before a spell. Went back to second last and stayed wide before closing strongly late down the outside for a 1¼-length third to Tarabeau over 1100m at Scone on December 19. Will relish the step up to 1280m. **Takemine** raced outside the leader and hit the lead after straightening before the swoopers launched down the outside and relegated her to fourth on debut at Scone on December 19. Will be better for the experience. **Dysart** has trialled well.

Bet: Zippo to win

RACE 2

Opus broke his maiden with an impressive win in a 1600m Class 1 at Taree on December 24. Getting back to near last in the field of 13 before storming home down the extreme outside and racing clear by a widening 3¼ lengths on a heavy 9. Up to a Class 2 but has 55kg and will relish the 1750m. **Jamrock** needed the run at his first two starts for a new stable at Gosford and Kembla before a handy fifth behind Djapana over 1600m on a soft track at Gosford last week. On the quick back-up and sure to make his presence felt. **Bliss** went back-to-back in winning her maiden at Warren and Class 1 at Mudgee before a fifth at Coonamble, all over 1400m.

Bet: Opus to win

RACE 3

Rakomelo, the brother to Vilana and half to Savatiano and Vilana, has been just behind the placegetters at his last four runs, including a fourth to Galactic Angelina Class 3 at Goulburn on December 15. Drops back to a Class 2 and, like his siblings, goes well on wet ground. **Stenson Wallman** was very good winning his first two starts before a spell. Held up and lost his momentum in the straight when fifth to Martial Music in a Midway first-up at Gosford on November 14 then faded after leading the Magic Millions Wyong 3&4YO Stakes on December 13. Back in grade and can bounce back.

Bet: Rakomelo each-way

RACE 4

Joiselle is a first starter by Snitzel from the family of Champagne trained by Brett Cavanough. Held the inside running in Tamworth barrier trial and dashed away in the straight to win by nearly three lengths. Drawn wide but will come in after scratchings.

Super Story took improvement from his first-up run at Gosford when second behind Tarabeau at Scone on December 19. Drawn well and drops to 55kg after the claim. **Magnucat** is a debutant by Magnus from the Bjorn Baker stable. Shared lead before winning Hawkesbury trial then took sit when a close second in his Warwick Farm heat on December 22.

Bet: Joiselle to win

RACE 5

Tapa Kick was unlucky not to break his maiden in his first campaign when beaten less than three-quarters of a length in all four starts, including one by a nose at Scone. Rectified that this campaign with first-up win at Gosford on December 8. Drawn to get right run and hard to beat. **Mangoola** ran a handy length third to Amicus Curiae first-up at Tamworth on November 28 before a disappointing seventh behind Burraneer Buoy on a good track at Tamworth on December 12. Has win and two placings from three starts on soft. **Musical Affair** hasn't finished no worse than fourth in past 12 starts.

Bet: Tapa Kick to win

RACE 6

Ferro Vero kicked off campaign with a maiden win at Scone before stepping up to a Class 3 Highway at Randwick when ninth to Golden Decade. Drops back to a Class 1 here and hard to beat. **Always In** hit the front in the straight before being caught near the line by fast-finishing Pioneer Lass at Kembla on December 14. Followed that with half-length third behind Little Cointreau at Wyong on December 23. **Gardenzio** will take improvement from his first-up sixth to Bojangles at Wyong in a Benchmark 64.

Bet: Ferro Vero to win

RACE 7

Image Of The Sun was \$17 on debut but came from a long way back at top of the straight to finish third behind Erelle over 1300m at Scone on December 19. Looks suited stepping up to 1500m. **Sovereign Dane** will take improvement from his first-up fourth behind impressive winner Colours Of Autumn on the Beaumont on December 16. Trialled well before that run. **Medinah** ran a handy fifth in first NSW run at Mudgee on December 1 before second to Erelle at Scone on December 19. Won't be far away again.

Bet: Image Of The Sun each-way

Never svelte better

Rakomelo shapes nicely to chase his first success for stable

Adam Sherry
Muswellbrook Thursday

Beautifully bred gelding Rakomelo has taken time to find peak fitness but trainer Mick Attard feels he is spot on now and ready to score his first win for the stable.

The former Godolphin gelding has had five starts for Attard since he was purchased on Inglis Digital back in July last year starting with a tenth behind Jedi-beel at Warwick Farm on October 2.

"He looks absolutely magnificent now. It's taken a few runs for him to look like a horse," Attard said.

"He was a little fat boy when he came into work after we bought him but he looks like a racehorse now."

He has finished just behind the placegetters in his four starts since with two fourth placings and two fifths but was taking improvement from each run according to Attard and a drop back to 1000m in the Class 2 Heat of the Rising Star will suit.

At his last run at Goulburn, he was exposed too far from home when fourth behind Galactic Angel on December 15.

"At Goulburn last start, he got up on heels and Alysha popped him out to get away from it at the 600m and he just took off but it was too far from home for him," he said.

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"Looking at his races in Melbourne, the more you hold him up, the better he gets to the line."

"Dropping him back to the 1000m, there should be more speed on and give him chance to get home."

The son of Lonhro is a full brother dual Listed winner Athiri and a half-brother to multiple Group 2 and 3 winners Savatiano and Vilana.

Like them, he is quite at home on wet ground.

In the preceding race, Attard saddles up another online purchase, four-year-old gelding Jamrock who is coming off an improved two-and-a-quarter length fifth behind Djapana at Gosford last Thursday.

Prior to that, he was safely held when fifth at Gosford and seventh at Kembla at his first two runs back from a spell but things didn't go right.

"Just forget about his first-up run, he blundered at the start and the 1200m was too short for him but he got home alright the last 80m of so," Attard said.

"Second-up, we took the blinkers off and put blinkers on but he missed the start and was just too far back."

"They worked better at Gosford last start because he jumped well and sat up on the speed."

"I do feel if he could have got going from the 600m or 700m, he would have figured in the first three."

"It was a much-improved run though and he seems to have done really well since then, so that's why I'm backing him up."

"He's the type of horse who builds up to his top, not a sit-and-sprint type."

"If he does handle the back-up, then we expect him to be there in the finish."

In the Maiden Handicap (900m) Attard has two runners — Nicci Rocks and Infinite Rose — but the latter may be saved for the weekend after drawing a wide gate.

Nicci Rocks is a debutant by Nicconi who is doing everything right, according to Attard, and ready to go to the races.

"She is a filly who will be better suited once she gets out to 1200m or 1300m but this is a nice race to kick off in."

"It's 900m and I thought she would get more experience out of it than a barrier trial."

"I'll decide in the morning if Infinite Rose runs but she might go to Wyong on Saturday."

BEST BETS

Adam Sherry

MUSWELLBROOK

BEST BET

Race 5 No. 11: Tapa Kick

The Paul Messara and Leah Gavranich-trained, Arrowfield-bred gelding was good winning his maiden first-up at Gosford. Hard to beat again from the good gate.

NEXT BEST

Race 6 No. 2: Ferro Vero

Also from the Messara/Gavranich stable, the gelding drops back from a Class 3 Highway at Randwick to a Class 1. Nice winner first-up.

VALUE BET

Race 3 No. 2: Rakomelo

Just behind placegetters in past four runs, mainly in provincial company. Back in grade and looks a good each-way chance.

BEST EXOTIC

Quinella — Race 1

No. 3 and No. 4.

QUADDIE

Race 4: 3, 9, 10.

Race 5: 2, 5, 11.

Race 6: 1, 2, 4.

Race 7: 1, 2, 7, 12.

JOCKEY TO FOLLOW

Leading rider Aaron Bullock should pick up enough points to win the TAB Jockey Challenge.

Bullock thumbs up for Medinah

Adam Sherry

Mudgee trainer Mack Griffith isn't underestimating the task facing Medinah in the last race at Muswellbrook but is drawing confidence from leading rider Aaron Bullock's assessment of the gelding.

The four-year-old son of Pariah was formally trained in Victoria, where he was runner-up in three of his seven starts.

At his first run for Griffith, he was a length-and-a-half fifth behind Invasive Dreams over 1200m at Mudgee on December 1 before finishing a similar margin behind Erelle in second over 1300m at Scone 18 days later.

"In his first time out for us, Aaron (Bullock) confirmed what we thought, which is that he needs a bit of ground," Griffith said.

"When we bought him, most of his races had been over the shorter courses but the way he finished off we thought he might be able to get over a bit of a trip."

"He steps up to 1500m this week and Aaron sticks with him. Each time he has ridden him, he has come back with a great report."

"The only sticking point is that he has drawn a bit of a tricky barrier so just where he ends up in the run is the only thing to worry about."

"Aaron is in great form and he likes the horse so that gives



Aaron Bullock will ride Mack Griffith-trained Medinah and is a big hope to win the TAB Jockey Challenge.

you a bit of extra confidence."

Consistent mare Musical Affair has been good in her two runs back from a spell over unsuitably short distances and will relish the step up in trip when she contests the Benchmark 66 Handicap over 1500m.

"It's probably the right race for her because she had those couple of runs over shorter

distances to get her ready," Griffith said.

"She steps up to 1500m, has drawn quite nicely and Clayton (Gallagher) knows her quite well."

"There doesn't look to be a lot of speed in this race so she might just cruise along out in front and hopefully will give a kick at the end."

Selfie Time will start as one

of the roughies in the Class 1 Handicap (1280m) but Griffith feels she can perform better than the odds suggest.

"She bungled the start first-up and put herself out of the race really, so just put a line through that," he said.

"This week, it's a lot harder race and she will need luck from the draw but I think she can run a sneaky race."

Lethal Aussie bowling attack closing in on becoming highest

FOUR-MIDABLE TRACK RECORD

Australian skipper Pat Cummins grabbed five Pakistan wickets yesterday; and (inset) Josh Hazlewood
Pictures: Getty Images

Julian Linden

One of the irritating flaws with a lot of cricket records is they don't settle most bar fights.

Perhaps it's because they are often skewed to only ever tell half the story, but cricket's wacky statistics start as many arguments in the pub as they resolve.

Take the next big milestone that is looming on the horizon for Australia's four frontline bowlers, Pat Cummins, Mitchell Starc, Josh Hazlewood and Nathan Lyon.

Barring a calamity, the four Aussies are on track to break a quirky record that gives them a claim to being the most successful quartet in Test history.

Based on the total number of wickets they have captured playing together, the four Aussies will surpass the record set by England's Moeen Ali, Jimmy Anderson, Stuart Broad and Ben Stokes.

Breaking any record held by the Poms is always worth celebrating but no one should kid themselves that Cummins, Starc, Hazlewood and Lyon are the best bowling combination the game has seen.

That's no sleight on the four Aussies because their contribution to Australian cricket has been immense and they deserve to be in the conversation. But no manner of creative accounting can elevate them to the best of the best, at least right now, because their work's also not finished.

Comparing players from different eras is a fraught enough practice but one of the few reliable measures is to look at what they haven't achieved rather than what they did.

As great as they have been, the current Australian team has two glaring omissions from its CV: it hasn't won a Test series in India or England.

The recent record against India is abysmal. Australia has lost each of its last four series,

including two at home. And despite retaining the Ashes, the Aussies have not won a series in England since 2001.

As Steve Waugh, who played in four successive winning series in the Old Dart, recently said, draws and victories are not the same.

"I'm not big on retentions," he said.

Waugh had the benefit of playing alongside the likes of Shane Warne and Glenn McGrath, Australia's two most prolific wicket-takers.

Along with Jason Gillespie, Brett Lee and Michael Kasprovicz, they remain the gold standard for bowling attacks,

This quartet bowling attack has been incredible for Australia for a long, long time

Glenn McGrath

Australian Test great

even if they didn't capture as many wickets in any single foursome combination.

But that's about the only thing they didn't do. What they did manage was to win everywhere in every format – both at home and away.

They chalked up record streaks of 16 consecutive wins on two occasions and won three successive World Cups.

With Cummins in devastating form, the current Australian line-up could yet eclipse the achievements of everyone who has come before them.

But what they have achieved already can't just be measured by numbers alone because they have given Australian cricket so much more.

A generation of Australian



AWESOME FOURSOME

Australia's bowling quartet's record playing together

	W	A	5w	10w
Pat Cummins	118	21.5	5	1
Mitchell Starc	109	28.2	4	0
Nathan Lyon	98	34.7	4	0
Josh Hazlewood	94	25.7	3	0

TOTAL: 419 WICKETS IN 26 TESTS

Source: Cricinfo

Jamal finally makes grade after Hawkesbury stint

Julian Linden

Long before he was dispatching Australia's premier bowlers around the Sydney Cricket Ground, Pakistan's unlikely batting hero Aamer Jamal was making his living carting people around in the back of a cab.

A late bloomer, Jamal's promising cricket career almost ended before it really took off when he was forced to get a job as a taxi driver be-

cause he was told he may not make it in cricket.

That was seven years ago – after he had already represented Pakistan at under 19s and spent a season playing grade cricket in Sydney.

But fast forward to 2024 and the naysayers have all been proven wrong.

Playing in just his third Test after making his debut in Perth last month, the all-rounder looked completely at home on

the sport's biggest stage as he bludgeoned a career-best 82 batting at nine.

Now 27, Jamal was giving a rousing welcome when he walked on to the same ground which he had previously visited as a spectator. That was when he spent six months playing grade cricket for Hawkesbury. He was so broke that he needed free lodging from his new club teammates, who came out to see him play on Wednesday.

"It means a lot because the last time I came to Sydney, I was sitting over there in the chairs cheering on my team because I wasn't playing for Pakistan," he said. "It's a huge moment for me, for my family as well. So it was lovely to watch everyone on the field when I was walking out."

Although he said he was too cash-strapped to visit the sights of Sydney during his last visit, Jamal said he loved the whole

experience and came away as a much better player.

"To be very honest, I couldn't even go outside. I was just focusing on my cricket," he said. "I've never been to any beaches or any restaurants, never been there."

"I just tried to focus as much as I can on cricket."

"Sydney cricket is very competitive. I played in England as well, but Sydney grade cricket was more competitive."



Pakistan's Aamer Jamal

Test wicket-taking quartet of all time



Aussie off-spinner Nathan Lyon throws himself around in the field at the SCG; and (top) Mitchell Starc struck with just the second ball of the day. Pictures: AFP, Getty Images

lowing Warne, like any entertainer taking the stage after Elvis left the building.

If the jury is still out on how great they can be, McGrath at least is convinced they have already done enough to be

ranked among the greatest line-ups.

"Without a doubt," McGrath said. "You have to be able to take 20 wickets to win games and I think that's been a big part of it."

"Sure, they have a great batting line-up – the way 'Smudge' (Steve Smith) has been over the years and Davey (Dave Warner) and the rest of the boys – but the ability to take 20 wickets, this Australia-

lian team has been able to do that. If you're going to do that then you're going to be No.1 in the world. The season they have had, it's a shame they didn't win in England, for the Ashes to win outright.

"To win a World Cup in India is as tough as any place in the world. That was great preparation, execution, they just peaked perfectly."

"I think they deserve to be regarded up there with the best Australian teams."

"This quartet bowling attack has been incredible for Australia for a long time."

"We were lucky to have Shane Warne, Warne was amazing. 'Lyono' just offers something different to the three quicks."

Quicks slow to ace their over-rate

Ben Horne

If only Australia's bowlers could have been as quick at the SCG as Josh Hazlewood was on a par three at Ryde-Parramatta this week.

Hazlewood hit a spectacular hole-in-one playing a round of golf with Mitchell Starc and Steve Smith before the Test.

It was on a 144m hole over water described by the Sydney course as "daunting".

But on day one of the Sydney Test – as brilliant as Australia's bowling was at times – it was all happening in slow motion as Pat Cummins' side got through its overs at glacial speed.

Australia was saved by the fact it bowled out Pakistan inside 80 overs, meaning its slow rates became null and void in the eyes of the umpires and ICC fines committee.

But it wasn't a great look for Australia, which by tea had bowled just 48 overs, although under the ICC's generous time calculations, the side was only considered to be two overs behind, not the full 12.

Given Pakistan was scoring at more than four an over, it was no surprise to see the side race past 300 on day one.

Commentators queried some of Australia's tactics late in the day. Fox Cricket expert Kerry O'Keefe wondered why Cummins was using Hazlewood as a "muscle man" bowling short at the Pakistan tail, when he is one of the most metronomic line-and-length pacers of all time.

The short-pitch tactics were a similar trap to the one Australia fell into at times during the Ashes, when Cummins thought his poor over-rate worries were an "anomaly".

"I think that the Ashes was such an anomaly, really," he

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said on the eve of this series.

Hazlewood bowled beautifully at the start of play and took an excellent catch in the deep to get rid of Pakistan danger man Mohammad Rizwan (88 off 103 balls).

Rizwan rescued Pakistan from 4-47 and 5-96, and Hazlewood's catch off the bowling of Cummins was crucial because Rizwan had all the momentum for his team.

No matter what deeds Hazlewood performs at the SCG this week, the bowling great knows his most stunning moment has already happened: on the golf course.

Absolute dream to train and inspired by the missus

Mitch Cohen

A promising filly named following a comical phone call with larrikin owner John Singleton could have gun trainer Clarry Conners dreaming of another Golden Slipper trial after Friday.

Mrs Maree will make her highly-anticipated debut for Conners' yard at Canterbury Park as she looks to lay down an autumn marker for the

stable. The daughter of Written Tycoon is raced by long-time client Singleton, who he combined with to win the 2000 Golden Slipper with Belle De Jour.

Their latest filly had remained nameless leading into her first trial before a phone call with Conners' wife, Maree. "Maree rang him up and said 'John, you still don't have a name for that filly' and he rung back and said 'I just named it

'Mrs Maree,' Conners said. "When he rings me now, he asks me how 'Maree' is going and I tell him both are going well."

Singleton famously shouted the bar when Belle Du Jour scored one of the most amazing wins in Slipper history.

It was Conners' fourth win in the race after he had first claimed the Slipper with two-year-old triple crown winner Tierce in 1991 before Burst

completed the same feat for the stable a year later.

Prowl delivered Conners his third Slipper victory in 1998.

While Friday's Canterbury Park meeting is a long way from the Slipper, Conners has been impressed with what he's seen from Mrs Maree in the lead-up to her debut.

She has won both trials this preparation at Wyong and Rosehill Gardens ahead of her debut in the Bivouac First

Yearlings Maiden Handicap (1100m).

"She is a very kind filly and is very athletic looking," Conners said. "She is a dream to train. There are no tricks to her, she is just so easy to train and she shows a fair bit of potential."

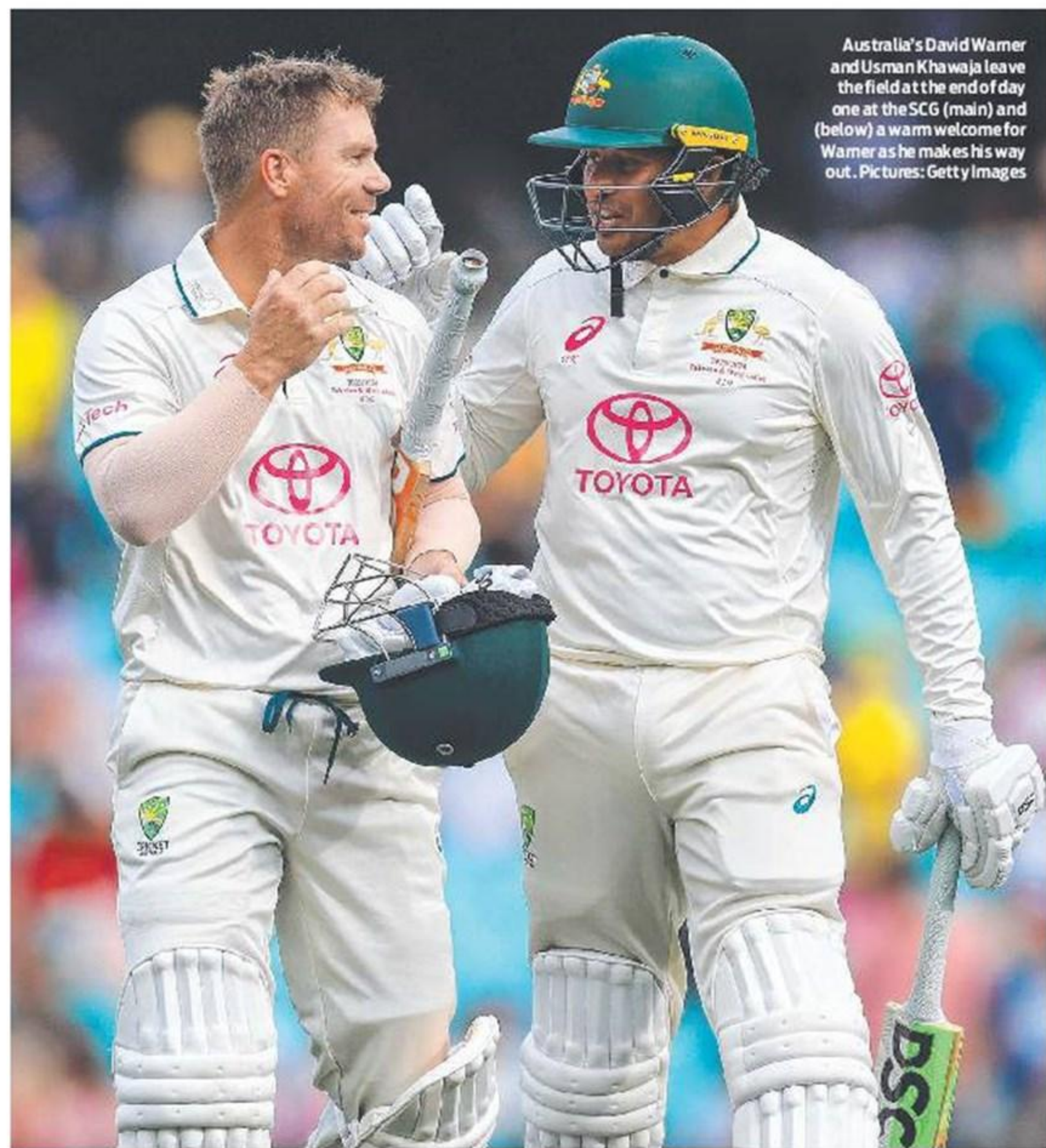
Mrs Maree was snapped up for \$500,000 at last year's Magic Millions Gold Coast Yearling Sale for Singleton.

Mrs Maree is a \$51 chance for this year's Golden Slipper.



Trainer Clarry Conners.

STAGE FRIGHT FOR A



Australia's David Warner and Usman Khawaja leave the field at the end of day one at the SCG (main) and (below) a warm welcome for Warner as he makes his way out. Pictures: Getty Images

Opener avoids early exit to farewell bash

Ben Horne



The scene is set for David Warner to give fans the fairytale they are craving, but not before the retiring hero survived a heart-stopping scare on the second last ball of the day.

Pakistan launched a stunning fightback at the SCG on day one from a crisis point of 4-47, meaning Warner was thrust into the nerve-racking hot seat of having to face a solitary over before stumps.

Commentators speculated whether nightwatchman Nathan Lyon might be sent out to see off the six-tricky balls, but the SCG erupted when the local boy strode out of the members' gate, before pausing for a poignant embrace with opening partner Usman Khawaja, who he has played alongside since he was five-years old. Pakistan, which made a very competitive 313, paid Warner the respect of forming a guard of honour to welcome him to the middle.

Some might have questioned whether its generosity had gone too far when it pulled the surprise option of opening the bowling with spinner Sajid Khan – who Warner dispatched to the boundary off the very first ball.

But the blood pressure went through the roof on the penultimate delivery, when a Warner defensive shot bounced back over the stumps, clearing the bails by millimetres as Pakistani fielders threw themselves on the ground in agony at how close they came to spoiling the party.

Mitchell Marsh revealed post-match that Lyon was nearly sent out to protect the main act – but Warner will resume on day two on six, with the stage set for a signature performance in his final Test.

"History would suggest he's always been able to find stuff when he needs to," Marsh said.

"I saw the replay (of the second last ball), and it was mighty close. As we always say in this game, you need a little bit of luck. It's been an incredible build-up for him this week and one of our key themes for the week is to hopefully send him

out with a win, but most importantly for him to enjoy his last five days as a Test cricketer."

Fearless Pakistan conjured an unexpected rear-guard uprising late on day one, which kept it well in truly in the Test – and made star of the show Warner wait to take centre stage. Pakistan No.9 Aamer Jamal hammered an extraordinary 82 off 97 to pile on a game-changing 86 runs for the final wicket, as Australia's bowlers were given flashbacks to some of the Ben Stokes-inflicted horrors of the Ashes.

After threatening a cake walk with an early blitzkrieg that left the visitors 5-96, and then having its opponent nine wickets down for 227, Australia reverted to the short-pitched bowling tactics that failed against England, to let Pakistan back into the contest and post a more-than-handly 313.

Jamal was playing every shot in the book, including a Glenn Maxwell-style reverse sweep for six off Nathan Lyon, until the champion off-spinner finally got his man caught in the deep to end the innings.

And not a moment too soon. Had Pakistan batted another 17 balls to extend the innings past 80 overs they would have likely been docked points on the World Test Championship table for a slow over-rate.

Cummins followed up his 10-wicket heroics in Melbourne with his third consecutive five-wicket bag – taking 5-61 in another performance which adds to his ever-growing greatness. It was all too easy for Australia until Pakistan's Mohammad Rizwan hit the accelerator with a brilliant knock of 88 off 103, before Cummins finally outsmarted him.

Mitchell Starc struck with the second delivery of the match and finished with two wickets, including the important stopping of another flying Pakistan lower-order hitter Salman Ali Agha (53 off 67).

Mitchell Marsh thought he had the wicket of Shan Masood only to have it taken off him for a big front-foot no-ball. But Masood only added two to his score, before Marsh got him caught by Steve Smith at slip.



'He's that good': England great believes Cummins

Lachlan McKirdy

Pat Cummins will go down as Australia's second-greatest cricketer according to former England captain Michael Vaughan.

Cummins was at his devastating best with the ball on day one of the SCG Test, taking five wickets including the crucial dismissal of Pakistan wicket-keeper Mohammad Rizwan for

a defiant 88 just before tea. But as the fast bowler continues to build on his already impressive legacy, Vaughan claimed that once his career is over it will rate only behind Sir Donald Bradman.

"I don't think he's ever going to surpass Sir Don, but I think Cummins is going to end up being Australia's greatest cricketer after Sir Don," Vaughan said on Fox Cricket.

"I honestly think he's that good."

"Captain, bowling, numbers, five to seven years left to play you would think."

"He's that good that we'll be talking about him in a few years' time as just behind Sir Don Bradman."

It's a strong declaration from Vaughan considering the calibre of players Australian fans have had to cheer for over the

years. Shane Warne, Ricky Ponting, Greg Chappell and Steve Smith would all be in the conversation, but there's no doubt that Cummins's record stacks up among the best.

Cummins took his career tally to 257 wickets in 58 Tests after finishing with 5-61 against Pakistan on Wednesday, his third-consecutive five-wicket haul.

Only Glenn McGrath has

taken more wickets at a better average for Australia than Cummins (22.12).

Across Tests in Australia, Cummins's average has now dropped to 19.09, giving him the third-best average in home conditions in the history of Test cricket (minimum 100 wickets).

Cummins's record could have been greater if injury hadn't cruelled the early part of

his Test career. Since making his debut in 2011, Cummins has missed 70 Tests for his country through injury or due to unavailability.

With an incredible strike rate of 46.2, Cummins could have more than doubled his current wicket tally and already be considered cricket's greatest-ever fast bowler at the age of just 30.

But it's a credit to Australian

BULL AT GATE



Pakistan's Mohammad Rizwan cannot believe it as David Warner escapes dismissal by a whisker in the final over of the day. Picture: AFP



Australia's David Warner is welcomed on to the SCG turf by Pakistan's Shan Masood and (right) Mitch Marsh drops a chance. Pictures: Getty Images, AFP



on track to be best since Bradman

cricket that they put their faith in science and rest when Cummins's body was failing him. The result is an experienced bowler in his 30s now bowling with the energy of a 20-year-old and the peak of his powers still to come.

As Vaughan mentioned, Cummins's credentials are further enhanced by his exemplary start to life as Australian captain.

While he's been faultless in Test series at home, the Australian side has also dained a historic World Cup win in India, a maiden World Test Championship win and retained the Ashes in England under his watch.

His bowling record also shows that he has embraced the pressure of juggling captaincy and being a strike bowler. Since taking on the mantle,

his strike rate has improved by almost three balls per wicket, while he has also taken more five-wicket hauls in fewer Tests.

However, according to readers of this masthead, Vaughan may have jumped the gun in giving Cummins such high praise. In an online poll, the late Shane Warne still ranks as Australia's best player since Bradman. The legendary leg-

spinner received more than half of the more than 2000 votes with Ricky Ponting coming in second with just under 20 per cent. Chappell, Smith, Adam Gilchrist and Keith Miller also received more votes than Cummins.

But time is certainly on Cummins's side and Vaughan could be proved right if the success of this all-conquering Australian team continues.

'Warner week' we need

Farewell boosts Test cricket

Robert Craddock



Test cricket needed "David Warner week" even more than David Warner did.

The coverage of Warner's thrills and spills, where he ranked in the pantheon of top batsmen, the boyhood photos, family snaps, tributes, stumbles, press conference tears and the missing caps.

And then the late first-day drama, the hug with Usman Khawaja, the first-ball mortar shot to the fence and the stunning escape to one which did everything but kiss the stumps on the penultimate ball of the day.

When these threads were wrapped in one sentimental package, it boomed out a clear message: Test cricket, abandoned old thing that she is becoming, is still the sweetest place in the sport and the one where you will always be remembered.

In this of all weeks, with South Africa sending a second-string squad to New Zealand for a two-Test series to allow its top players to play T20s at home, Test cricket needed to show why it still mattered.

South Africa backed up its selection call by being dismissed for 55 on Wednesday, the lowest total for any team in a Test against India. The setbacks come almost daily now – day one of the SCG Test brought news that Pakistan pace ace Shaheen Shah Afridi had been rested to freshen him for five T20s against New Zealand.

In bygone eras, that would have been like a golfer missing the British Open to play the monthly medal.

Test cricket won't win the war against the global push for T20 cricket. Money doesn't

talk in cricket, it swears. By the time the Brisbane Olympics hit in 2032, it is doubtful there will be many more than three or four nations playing five-day cricket which is why the game's longest format needs to keep its gloves in the air.

It's also why weeks like this are so important.

Unlike T20 and 50-over cricket, where fans are often unsure of when players played their first and last games, Test cricket needs to show that debuts are huge news and retirements even bigger.

Since Warner announced during the Ashes his intention to strive for an SCG farewell, there has been

conjecture about the merits of letting him stay that long.

Fair enough too. His form has faded. Those who argued for him to go have no reason to apologise.

But the emotions of the past week proved why it was the best thing for the game for him to be given a send-off that has enriched what would have been a flat five-day.

Over the years there have been plenty of cricket observers (my hands in the air) who have never loved players giving a throw-forward retirement announcement.

But this week has proven why the game actually needs more of them.

By the time this match is over, the farewells of Warner and Stuart Broad in England will be two of the most memorable occasions in recent Test cricket.

The more cricket celebrates its five-day heroes, the more kids will want to grow up to be that person.

So here's the message to the likes of Khawaja and Steve Smith – don't go quietly. The game needs you.



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Pat Cummins

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'Saying ill about me, motivates

I WANT TO PROVE I'M THE MAN

Michael Carayannis

Jarome Luai wants to be the man.

And he will have \$12m to show that he can be after signing a five-year contract to join Wests Tigers from 2025.

Only Kalyn Ponga and Cameron Munster are set to earn more.

Leaving the three-time defending NRL premiers for the two-time wooden-spooners should be a hard sell but the bumper payday, learning from his idol Benji Marshall and proving the doubters wrong – including Panthers coach Ivan Cleary – led to Luai taking on a mega contract that will help provide for his future.

"I've seen a few headlines about how he is going from the top to the bottom and it resonated with me because I'm always backing myself to win, no matter where I go," Luai said.

CLEARY'S COMMENTS

Cleary raised plenty of eyebrows when, in the midst of Luai's contract talks, he said signing the 26-year-old to a rich contract to run a side would be a "risk".

"It did shock me a bit but he's not lying," Luai said on

Wednesday. "I just had to think about it and really he was right. I haven't proven (myself) on the biggest stage yet. That's what I want to prove to myself."

"I think anyone saying ill about me, motivates me. I have always had that edge and that chip on my shoulder. I have always been that kind of kid to prove people wrong."

"I've got love for Ivan, love for my boys. I didn't want any of this to get in the way of those relationships."

Luai skipped training a few days before Christmas after news broke he was leaving the Panthers. He will be back this week.

"It was a bit of a misunderstanding," Luai said of what led to his absence. "I'm not going to go into detail about it but it's been a tough process."

"I've had to move away from my home and think about that. It was a weird one, that's why I had to step away for a bit because even we didn't know what was going on."

Despite the move in 2025, Luai reaffirmed his commitment to the Panthers for this year and said he was racing to be fit for round 1 after off-season shoulder surgery.

Jarome Luai after announcing his decision to join the Wests Tigers.
Picture: Richard Dobson



Proud father Martin Luai watches Jarome address the media.

Working out where all the playmaking dominoes

Michael Carayannis

Wests Tigers signings Jayden Sullivan and Latu Fainu will have a 12-month shootout in a bid to partner Jarome Luai in the halves in 2025.

Penrith also has questions to answer around its long-term halves combination and the shape of its roster.

Luai's announcement on

Wednesday that he would join the Tigers and become one of the game's highest-paid players has massive ramifications for the two clubs.

Penrith will give Daine Laurie, who returns from the Tigers on a one-year deal, a crack at five-eighth, while Jack Cole, who is under contract until the end of 2026, has long been earmarked as a first grader.

Cole spent last year switching between the halves and centre in NSW Cup but he too will be given every opportunity to become halfback Nathan Cleary's right-hand man.

PANTHERS PRIORITIES

The Panthers had put off talks with a host of off-contract players, including hooker Mitch Kenny and outsidebacks Sunia

Turava and Taylan May, while they waited to see if Luai would take up their upgraded three-year deal worth about \$900,000 a season.

That will change this month when they speak to them about long-term deals but they know rival clubs can offer more money.

The big decision revolves around how the Panthers want

their roster to look when Luai has gone.

Do they stick with a cheaper, internal half and have significant cap space to strengthen their squad? Or do they dip into a near-barren open market?

The player pool has diminished quickly. Tom Dearden would have been perfect but he signed a new deal with North Queensland last month.

Sydney Roosters duo Joey Manu and Luke Keary won't play against their current club, although Manu is flirting with a short move to rugby.

Brad Schneider, 22, has also arrived at the club on a two-year deal after stints with Canberra and Hull KR.

TIGERS' HALVES LOGJAM

The 'Tigers' spine in 2025 will

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The Panthers' 2021 premiership squad has been ripped apart. Back row: J'maine Hoggood (Eels), Brent Naden (Bulldogs/Tigers), Dylan Edwards, Kurt Capewell (Broncos/Warriors), Liam Martin, Scott Sorensen, Mitch Kenny. Second row: Spencer Leniu (Roosters), Matt Burton (Bulldogs), Stephen Crichton (Bulldogs), Viliame Kikau (Bulldogs), Paul Momirovski (Roosters/Leeds), Tyrone May (Catalans/Hull KR), Brian To'o, Charlie Staines (Tigers). Bottom row: Moses Leota, Jarome Luai (Tigers), Isaah Yeo, Ivan Cleary, Nathan Cleary, Api Koroisau (Tigers), James Fisher-Harris. Picture: NRL Photos



Luai and his future Tigers coach Benji Marshall after playing for the Maori Kiwis in 2021.

WHY THE TIGERS?

Luai idolised Marshall. "My first game (watching) rugby league was (the 2005) grand final," Luai said. "We were out at a camping trip with my family. It inspired me."

"I had a Tigers towel and I wouldn't let my mum wash it. I have always been a big fan of Benji. He has seen a lot of himself in me. It was cool to hear it from him."

"He told me I was the guy to get them back to their feet. I think I've shown that (I can run a team) with my Samoan team at the World Cup. I've wanted it ever since."

Luai said he agonised over the decision before turning down the chance to join former Penrith assistant Cameron Ciraldo and former Panthers teammates Stephen Crichton, Viliame Kikau, Matt Burton and Jaeman Salmon at

Canterbury. "This is why the process has dragged on for quite a while," Luai said.

"That was a tough decision. I've got a lot of brothers there already. Cam Ciraldo is like my second dad."

"That was pretty tough to turn that away and walk this path alone and face this new challenge."

THE REACTION

The signing is Marshall's first big one since being appointed head coach, having missed out on a handful of players in recent months.

He said he was "super excited" to land Luai.

"His experience as a genuine premiership-winning playmaker will be great for us and the future of our club," Marshall said. "We love the way Jarome plays and, even better, he is a great person."

Penrith boss Matt Cameron said the Panthers' focus was now on ensuring Luai returned to the field.

"We acknowledge that the situation is compounded by salary cap capacity due to the club's recent success," Cameron said.

"Jarome is in the process of recovering from shoulder surgery that he underwent in October and his rehabilitation to return for the upcoming season is the club's major priority."

They will have to impress coach Benji Marshall or one of them is likely to be moved on at the end of the year.

Teenager Lachlan Galvin adds to the halves logjam.

The 18-year-old pathways program graduate and 2023 Australian Schoolboys five-eighth will join the club's top-30 roster this season on a three-year deal.

Kudos to Jarome for fronting up

Michael Carayannis
Analysis



Jarome Luai got two big things right on Wednesday.

The first was that he fronted up and took ownership of his decision.

For too long, players have hidden behind carefully crafted press releases that can change their lives, transform clubs and bring joy or despair for fans.

Here was Luai, wearing a backwards Houston Astros baseball cap and white T-shirt, answering anything that came his way during the press conference at a hotel in Sydney's CBD on Wednesday.

He didn't hide from the fact that the money on the table from Wests Tigers was too good to refuse. Nor should he.

The Panthers were largely unaware the press conference was going to happen until late on Wednesday morning.

Canterbury – the other club in talks with Luai for 2025 – didn't know either.

The Panthers could feel aggrieved that Luai was happily talking about joining a rival club. But they shouldn't. He did them a favour.

Had Luai gone down the press release route, the circus would have continued for not only the next couple of days, but weeks and even months until he spoke.

There would be camera crews and journalists chasing him at Penrith training today, trying to get him to explain his decision.

He has ended all that. Now, when



The Tigers' initial social media post showing photoshopped images of Luai in a Tigers jersey that was later deleted and replaced with images of Luai playing with NSW.



asked about the Tigers, he can politely indicate that he has addressed all that and he won't speak about his future club until his commitments with the Panthers have ended.

Which he and his Penrith teammates hope will be after grand final night on September 29.

Luai's press conference will help the Panthers on their path to that fourth straight premiership.

The Tigers did their best to inflame tensions between the already bitter rivals when they posted a mocked photo of Luai in his new club's kit.

Penrith wasn't impressed by a doctored image which was posted on the

Tigers' social media accounts, and on their website, on Wednesday. It lasted a few hours before it was replaced.

Luai joining the Tigers is also a massive victory for the competition.

Tigers fans can have some genuine hope, even if things don't turn around instantly this year.

This move will define Luai's career. He will either join a long list of highly paid players who have failed to deliver at the Tigers or he may become a modern great.

He joked that he wanted five premiership rings in as many seasons at the Tigers.

Should he deliver one, he will step out of Nathan Cleary's imposing shadow.

fall will be half the battle for Tigers and Panthers

be capable of mixing it with any top-eight side.

Luai is expected to wear the No.7 jersey when he reunites with Panthers premiership-winning hooker Apisai Koroisau and rising fullback Jahream Bula.

Sullivan and Fainu are in the first months of their respective four-year deals worth a combined \$1m a season.

The club has high hopes for him, despite suggestions he could be on the way out. Galvin, whose 190cm frame is big enough to allow him to be a ball-playing lock, won't be released early from his contract.

FREE-AGENCY FALLOUT

Canterbury had given up hope of landing Luai, having not heard from the player's camp

since Christmas. The Bulldogs learnt of his decision to sign with the Tigers during a press conference on Wednesday.

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The Bulldogs still have some cash to splash in 2025, given

their pursuit of Luai and flirtation with Addin Fonua-Blake.

With Luai and Fonua-Blake (Cronulla) deciding their landing spots, Newcastle's Bradman Best looms as the biggest name without a long-term deal.

The NSW centre is yet to agree to Newcastle's offer of about \$750,000 a season, which has been on the table for weeks.




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Australia's David Warner takes to the field in the third Test at the SCG. Picture: Mark Evans/Getty Images. Inset: Steve Waugh walks out for his last Test innings at the same ground.



ON THE WAUGH PATH



**STUMPS, DAY 1
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Ben Horne

Twenty years after Steve Waugh strode out to the Sydney Cricket Ground for the last time, David Warner received his own hometown hero's send-off.

When Warner came down the famous race to face the final over of day one, he had the gaze of every one of the 33,905 fans in attendance – bearing an eerie

resemblance to Waugh's farewell. Like Waugh, Warner is very much a product of blue-collar Sydney – raised in housing commission flats in nearby Matraville with not a solitary silver spoon in sight.

After surviving a heart-stopping near miss on the penultimate ball of day one, Warner will take centre stage this morning with a fairytale hundred beckoning.

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